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Christ Church Cathedral.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the Matter of the Official Administrators Act and in the matter of the Estate of Barney Wherry, Deceased, Intestate.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Drake, bearing date the 10th day of May, 1895, I was appointed Administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of Barney Wherry, late of the City of Victoria, B.C., deceased, intestate.

Persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased are requested to send me particulars thereof on or before the 15th day of June, A.D. 1895; and all persons indebted to said deceased are requested to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

W. MONTEITH,
my12-3t Official Administrator.

Notice To Contractors.

Sealed tenders will be received until 3 p.m., Saturday, May 18th next, by the undersigned, for the erection of a two storey frame residence with brick and stone basement, for W. J. Pendray.

Separate tenders will be required for Heating and Plumbing.

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Entrance Fee, $2.50.

Winner takes.....50 per cent.
Second.....30 per cent.
Third.....20 per cent.

Tickets to be had at Garrick's Head, where sweep will be drawn at 9 p.m. on Tuesday, May 28, 1895. my11

I. O. O. F.

The members of Victoria Lodge, No. 1, I.O.O.F., are requested to meet at their lodge room on Tuesday next, the 14th inst., at 2 p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, Alexander McKinnon. Members of sister lodges and sojourning brothers are cordially invited to attend.

By order of the N.G.
FREDERICK DAVEY,
my12 Rec. and Per. Secretary.

CABLE NEWS.

Lord Rosebery's Failing Health Compels Him to Take a Sea Cruise.

Murder of a French Abbe—Prussian Minister's Life Threatened—Anti-Revolution Bill.

LONDON, May 11.—The Prince of Wales presided at the annual meeting of the Royal Yacht squadron at Boodle's club, St. James street.

The Duke of Saxe-Cobourg Gotha is attending very many public functions, and seems specially anxious to win popular favor. This is believed to be in view of the growling of the Radicals and others over the pension which he receives from the British taxpayers in spite of the fact that he is a reigning prince of Germany.

There were a number of dinners on Wednesday devoted to literature and the press. The Prince of Wales presided at a dinner of the printers and orphan asylum, and the Duke of York was chairman at the Royal Literary Society, while the Conservative leader of the House of Commons, the Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour, paid his compliments to the press at the Newspaper Society dinner and made a striking allusion to the power of advertising. "We habitually boast," said Mr. Balfour, "of the extension of our railways, postal and telegraph facilities, but we are inclined to overlook the press as the agent which brings into communication the different classes of society. In my judgment of all machinery used in communicating information to the public, nothing is of really more importance to the community at large than the power of the people to communicate by advertisement and bring the buyer and seller together and give them machinery for communicating their wishes to one another."

The Queen's visit to London was brief, as usual, and she returned to Windsor Castle on Thursday following the drawing-room. On Tuesday, May 21, she will remove to Balmoral, where she will remain for a month. The Princess of Wales, on behalf of Her Majesty, will hold the remaining two drawing-rooms of the season. The Princess of Wales has greatly changed, and now looks quite an old woman.

Lord Rosebery when bidding farewell to the Queen of Holland at the railroad station, previous to their departure for home, looked ten years older than he did six months ago. His face was haggard, and he leaned on a stick. He will embark on Monday on board the Admiralty yacht Enchantress at Portsmouth for a cruise in the channel for the benefit of his health.

The government of the Argentine has refused to increase the capital of the national bank, and proposes to diminish the protective duties, especially those levied on sugar.

The universal exhibition at Amsterdam was opened to-day with much ceremony.

The Abbe de Broglie, a brother of the Duc de Broglie, was murdered to-day by a woman named Amelot. The abbe, it appears, had been her confessor, and she seems to have labored under the delusion that he had caluminated her. She demanded from him a written retraction of the alleged calumnies, and when the abbe declined to grant her request she drew a revolver, fired four times and killed him.

It is reported that Herr von Koeller, the Prussian minister of the interior, has received an anonymous letter warning him that he would go the way of the late President Carnot of France, who was assassinated at Lyons last June. Herr von Koeller is said to have shown the letter to the president of the reichstag, Herr von Bucol Berenberg.

Nobody was surprised when the Reichstag to-day, after rejecting paragraph 112 of the anti-revolution bill, refused to further discuss it, and all its amendments were withdrawn. Then the entire bill, paragraph by paragraph, was rejected without debate. When the last paragraph had been disposed of the anti-Semites and members of the left cheered boisterously and the sitting was adjourned amid intense excitement until Monday, when the discussion upon the customs convention with Austria and the tobacco tax bill will be taken up. There is much discussion in political circles to-night at the unexpected denouement and the effect it will likely have on the Emperor. The general belief expressed to-night is that Minister of the Interior Herr von Koeller must fall with the anti-revolution bill.

THE HYAMS' CASE.

Examination of Sisters of Deceased—Disposition of the Thirty Thousand Insurance—Scene in Court.

TORONTO, May 11.—(Special)—Judging from the present rate of speed the Hyams' murder trial will go on indefinitely. The defence is displaying thoroughness in investigating every minute piece of testimony that evidences an intention to take full advantage of every point. To-day Mrs. Aylesworth, sister of the dead boy, related incidents connected with Harry Hyams visit to her house after Wells' death. Hyams was nearly fainting, his cuffs were bloody and his sleeves were also covered with blood. It was after the death of her brother that the engagement between her sister and Harry Hyams took place, but she supplemented this statement by saying that they had been engaged five or six times prior to his death. Harry had told her that the weight had fallen on and broken Wells' collar-bone; witness asked, "Is he dead?" and Hyams said no.

There was a sensation when the name of Mrs. Harry H. Hyams was called. Counsel for the defence strongly objected to her evidence. Mr. Lount held that a wife could not be a competent witness against her husband. The judge said that the matter could be discussed at the end of the case if necessary, and Mrs. Hyams was then examined. She trembled so that she was not able to stand, and a chair was given her. She never once glanced at her husband in the dock. She told how she first met Harry Hyams in Muskoka. He told her he could not be married for some cause while his mother lived, but they became engaged with that understanding. Questioned as to insurance, Mrs. Hyams said Harry told her brother that if he would be examined he would give him $2,500 at the end of five years, Harry to pay the premium. If Wells lived Harry was to get it in twenty years, but if Wells died she was to be the beneficiary. Coming to say of Wells' death, witness told how Harry came in after lunch and was so excited that Aylesworth helped him to bed. Told her Willie was hurt on the shoulder but would be all right soon. Aylesworth told her that her brother was dead. Asked as to the $30,000 insurance she received on Wells' death, she said she had none left. She had given Dallas Hyams a cheque for $7,964. After telling of her marriage to the prisoner, Mrs. Hyams gave a shriek and fell forward from the chair, calling out as she fell: "O! Harry."

ECUADOR'S REBELLION.

Esmeraldas Saved From Bombardment by the American Cruiser "Ranger."

PANAMA, May 11.—The British bark Chala carried 150 troops of the Ecuador government from Manta, conveyed by the gunboat Cotopaxi, carrying 200 to Puntasua, off Esmeraldas, May 3. In trying to effect a landing the troops met with continuous firing from the shore, and were forced to retreat with heavy losses. Capt. Bayano, of the Cotopaxi, realizing the uselessness of his guns at the distance from Puntasua, turned his course to a point nearer to Esmeraldas and began to shell the town effectively. Then he threatened a regular bombardment unless the rebels evacuated their position within 24 hours. At this juncture the Ranger, under cabled orders of the United States to protect American interests, made its appearance. Capt. Watson landed immediately under a flag of truce, and his counsel and friendly influence prevailing, the rebels quitted Esmeraldas and Capt. Bayano assumed possession. The rebels remain encamped in the vicinity. The revolution is everywhere gaining in Ecuador. Gen. Altaro has been proclaimed its leader. The rebel general Bowen holds Babahoyo, which is on the Guayas, seventy miles from Guayaquil, with an army of 700 men.

Senor Dr. Don Luis Cordero was elected president of the Ecuadorian republic June 30, 1892. His government is involved in a dispute with the republic of Colombia respecting territory on the left bank of the river Napo, and last year the Ecuadorian congress revoked the boundary treaty concluded in May, 1890, which Peru amended in 1893. He commands an army of about 3,300 men and his navy is manned by about 128 men. There is a national guard, said to consist of 30,000 men, on which he cannot depend. The present revolution has enlisted Liberals, Radicals and Conservatives. Their rallying cry is "National Honor!" One of their pretexts is "the impudent sale of the Esmeralda." This cruiser was bought from Chilli and transferred to Japan.

BRITAIN AND THE U. S.

Settlement of Questions at Issue Temporarily Postponed.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The departure of Sir Julian Pauncefote, British ambassador, for Europe early next month will probably result in the postponement of action in the proposed Behring sea commission, the arbitration of the Venezuelan question, and other pending subjects in which the United States is concerned, until the Ambassador returns in the fall. The Venezuelan correspondence may continue through summer, but no decisive developments closing the question or bringing it to a crisis in which this country may be required to act are expected until autumn. In the meantime, Senor Andrade, the Venezuelan minister, will go away for the summer.

SEALERS' IMPLEMENTS.

British Government Will Not Renew the Agreement Respecting the Sealing Up of Arms, Etc.

It will be remembered that last year an agreement was entered into by Great Britain and the United States under which sealing schooners for Behring sea were allowed to pass through the waters in which sealing was prohibited during the close season, conditional on their arms and implements being sealed up. This was to enable them to enter the sea at the earliest possible moment after the close season had ended, and to render it more difficult for the vessels to offend against the provisions of the sealing regulations.

This year the British authorities have refused to enter into the same convention, as is shown by the following telegram from Ottawa:

OTTAWA, Ont., May 11, 1895.

A. R. Milne, Collector of Customs, Victoria.

Her Majesty's government have decided not to renew the agreement with the United States respecting sealing up of arms and implements of sealing vessels. Notify all concerned. JOHN HARDIE,
Acting Deputy.

Frances Willard to Be Married.

CHICAGO, May 11.—A story is floating around in women's temperance circles to the effect that Miss Frances Willard, the famous lecturer, may be led to the altar before autumn by an Englishman of wealth, position and prominence in reform work. Miss Willard's friends point to the fact that she is just entering her 56th year and says she has not hinted at any prospective change in her domestic relations in any of her recent communications.

Rev. Mr. Fairbanks, an American missionary in India, attributes a large part of his success to the use of a bicycle. Not only is he enabled to cover a more extensive territory with it, but the natural curiosity of the natives brings large crowds to see "a horse that needs neither grass nor grain."

Typewriting papers, Carbon paper, and other typewriting requisites at T. N. Hibben & Co.'s.

Drink Excelsior XXX English Ale and Lager Beer. It is the best.

Garden syringes at Cheapside

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Police Under Orders for the Yukon—The School Question Compromise.

British Columbia Artillery Orders—Arrangements for Camps in Ontario—Chinese Immigration.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, May 11.—The police detachment for the Yukon country leaves about the 21st inst. Inspector Constantine will be in charge; Surgeon Wills accompanies the party, which will enter the Yukon region via the Chilcat route.

One hundred and seventy-three Chinese paid the poll tax last month, being a decrease of twelve.

The Ontario rural volunteer corps will be drilled next month. The Militia department are now arranging for the different camps.

British Columbia Artillery—To be Major, Lieutenant Chas. St. Aubyn Pearse. Surgeon Edward Hasell resigns his commission.

It is stated to-night that the compromise on the Manitoba school question will take the form of a suggestion to adopt the Ontario school system, text books authorized by province and teachers properly qualified.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Sued for Libel.

TORONTO, May 11. — Barrister Joseph Donovan has entered an action against the Evening Telegram for alleged libel. He claims $20,000.

Presbyterian Home Missions.

TORONTO, May 11. — The Presbyterian Home Mission Board has decided that the claims due to the missionaries of the church for work done during the year ending April, of which only 75 per cent. has been paid, shall be paid in full. The generous response made by several of the leading churches has been sufficient to allow of this. The money due will be sent forthwith to the several Presbyteries.

To Appeal Hendershott Murder Case.

TORONTO, May 11.—A formal application has been made to the Attorney-General for leave to appeal the Hendershott murder case. The date for the execution of the condemned men is June 18.

A Victim of the Welland.

THOROLD, May 11.—Herbert, the twelve year old son of Frank Hartley, was drowned in the Welland canal here this morning while bathing.

Drowning Accident.

WINDSOR, May 11.—Stanley, the eight year old son of Douglas McQueen, fell into the river yesterday and was drowned.

Gored by a Bull.

BLOOMFIELD, May 11.—Reuben C. Gorsine died this morning from the effects of injuries received on Tuesday last by being knocked down and gored by a bull.

Celebrating Batoche.

TORONTO, May 11.—The Batoche column of the Royal Grenadiers celebrated the tenth anniversary of the capture of Batoche last night by a "smoker" at St. George's hall. The sergeants of that regiment also held their tenth annual dinner in commemoration of the event.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

A Compromise Likely to Be Reached in Regard to the School Question—Decoration of Soldiers' Graves.

WINNIPEG, May 11. — (Special) — Hon. Mr. Greenway being waited on, it was learned that the Premier, accompanied by Attorney-General Sifton, will leave for the East next week, and that their destination was Ottawa; but as to their mission, Hon. Mr. Greenway said he did not care to say anything. In reply to a question as to the communication from the Governor-General, the Premier would not say that such had been received, or that the members of the government had been invited to Ottawa. They expected to be absent about two weeks. The general impression is that there will soon be an end of the tension in regard to the school controversy and that a compromise will be reached acceptable to all parties.

All the military in Winnipeg will turn out to-morrow to decorate the graves of the 90th Rifles who fell during the rebellion of 1885.

A dispatch from Macleod says the Canadian Pacific station there was robbed last night. The safe was cracked and about $750 stolen. The police are on the alert for the robbers.

A slight frost was reported last night, but it is thought no damage has been done to the crops.

BRITISH COLUMBIA'S LOAN.

Subscriptions to Close in London on Tuesday.

As demonstrating the success of the new British Columbia loan of £420,000 in three per cent. inscribed stock redeemable July, 1941, placed on the market on Friday at 95, the following satisfactory cablegram has been received from Premier and Finance Minister Turner:

"LONDON, May 12.

"Subscription for loan closes Tuesday: minimum guaranteed 95."

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NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Andrews Remanded as a Suspect in Connection With the Pomelreau Murder.

Indian Agricultural Operations—Fire in a Factory—Vancouver's Poultry Show.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, May 11.—The Trades and Labor Council are arranging to have Eugene Debs lecture in the city.

J. K. Felch, of Nitick, Mass., has accepted an invitation to judge the next poultry show in Vancouver. Mr. Felch was written to a long way ahead, to insure his engagement, as by reputation he has no rival in judging fowl.

F. W. Hart's factory caught fire last night but the flames were extinguished by the firemen before any considerable damage was done.

Roy Brown, son of ex-alderman Brown, had two fingers amputated yesterday at the city hospital. The operation was necessitated by the unfortunate lad having the fingers crushed in a printing press in the News-Advertiser office.

George Andrews, a material witness in the Pomelreau murder case, has been remanded until Wednesday, this time as a suspect, Mr. Miller withdrawing the charge of theft. At the present time there is not sufficient evidence to retain Andrews for more than a few days. Pidgeon has made a remarkable exit. No trace of him whatever can be found. The feeling is growing that he has escaped as a stowaway on the China boat that sailed two days after the murder.

The people in and about Port Hammond are terrorized by tramp robbers, who have committed wholesale robberies of late.

Vancouver will send thirty Christian Endeavorers to Tuesday's convention at Victoria.

WESTMINSTER.

WESTMINSTER, May 11.—The Indians have finished seeding along the valley and have a larger area than ever before under crop. They are contented and hopeful, according to the latest report of Indian Agent Devlin.

Another family quarrel is to be heard before Capt. Pittendrigh, S.M., on the 18 h inst. Messrs. T. R. Herring, T. Kelly, E. Bonfield and A. Kennedy have been charged with wilfully injuring property in charge of the administrator of the estate of the late Mrs. Herring.

The firemen were given a trial run last night. They reached the foot of Columbia and Mackenzie streets 50 seconds after the gong struck.

DUNCAN.

DUNCAN, May 11.—Indian Agent Lomas, at the court house, yesterday committed Frank Calvert for two months' hard labor for supplying whiskey to an Indian named Charley.

Mr. Cecil Ward went down to Victoria yesterday.

Mr. Galpin, of Victoria, has been "whipping" the Cowichan river. No trout over six pounds has been caught for several days, but good fish of two to three pounds are fairly plentiful.

A good number of pheasants have been seen this spring around Quamichan lake and near the rectory at Quamichan. The stock of willow grouse has been growing smaller by degrees. It is to be hoped the recent changes in the game laws will result in an increase in its numbers.

KAMLOOPS.

(From the Kamloops Sentinel.)

Granite Creek and the Similkameen has almost as much attraction for the unemployed as Cariboo this summer, and W. F. Wood, Indian agent, who has been down to Lower Nicola and Spence's Bridge, reports many pilgrims on the way for those gold fields.

Work started on Wednesday on a steamer for Mr. Foster, late of Nelson. The vessel is intended for prospecting and pleasure parties, and will be 60 feet in length, 9½ feet beam, 2½ feet deep. Her engines will develop about 40 horse power.

For some time nothing has been done on the cinnabar claim near Savona, and little has been heard about it. Some of those who saw that something might be made out of the property, did not let the matter drop, and a gentleman from San Francisco experienced in quicksilver mining, came up to make an examination of the property to estimate its value.

Herbert Cuthbert, of Victoria, came up on Monday morning, and on Monday and Tuesday met several stockmen to discuss the support they would offer toward the monthly cattle sales he purposes establishing at Victoria. The first was held a week ago, and fair prices realized. Mr. Cuthbert proposes that he shall ascertain the probable number to be sold, and will send up to the representative of those who cast in their lot with the scheme, who will make the required shipment. It is proposed that those who fall in with the proposal organize an association here and raise a fund to reimburse those who may sustain loss through the first shipments before the market is well established.

CHILI AND BOLIVIA.

Treaty of Peace Between the Two South American States—Mutual Concessions.

BUENOS AYRES, May 11.—A dispatch from Valparaiso states that a treaty of peace and friendship has been concluded between Chili and Bolivia, by which the former cedes Bolivia a small strip of territory and a port on the Pacific midway between Iquique and Pisagua. Chili in return receives commercial advantages.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The conclusion of the Chili-Bolivia treaty is said to be of far-reaching importance, particularly to Bolivia, as it makes the latter a Pacific Coast country, after it has been shut inland for ten years. When Chili concluded her war against Peru and Bolivia the victors took all the seacoast territory of Bolivia, leaving her landlocked, like Switzerland, without opportunity for commerce by the Pacific and unable to maintain a navy. In 1884 a treaty of truce was effected between Chili and Bolivia, but the latter did not get back her coast territory. After remaining hemmed in for ten years, Bolivia now gains a Pacific port and a strip of territory. This will enable her to resume commerce by the Pacific without crossing Chilian soil, and it will permit re-establishment of her navy.

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MR. HARDT'S EXPLANATION.

He Admits the Truth of the Serious Charges Against Him, but Claims His Conduct Was Justifiable.

The San Francisco Examiner of Tuesday last, which reached Victoria yesterday evening, contains the following special dispatch from Portland, which will be read with particular interest by those British Columbians who won medals at the recent Midwinter fair and have not yet received their medals. The cause of complaint was outlined in the COLONIST lately:

"Mr. H. B Hardt, late Canadian commissioner to the Midwinter fair, and ex-director-general of the unsuccessful Portland exposition, who has been in Portland several months, to-night was shown Saturday's Examiner containing a dispatch from Victoria in which it was charged that he refused to deliver the medals and diplomas awarded to Canadian exhibitors at the Midwinter fair unless he was paid sums varying from $3 to $6 50. It was also stated that Mr. Hardt pretended to be Canadian commissioner to the fair, and was recognized in that capacity by the fair management; that he had never been so appointed, but on the contrary was usurping the place of James Anderson, who was the duly accredited representative. Mr. Hardt said: 'That is substantially true, every line of it—but I would like to add a little to it. The fact of the matter is that I paid out of my own pocket for all of the space upon which Canadian exhibits were placed. I went to San Francisco before the fair opened and paid $3,000 cash for the space, part of which I permitted these Canadians to use free of charge. After the fair I shipped, through Joseph Stitiss, of Montreal, free of charge, every diploma awarded to the Canadian government. If any of the successful manufacturers, who had exhibits on my space, want diplomas or medals awarded them, as I claim that I was personally instrumental in securing free space for them, it is only right that they should repay me such moneys as I have expended in postage, expressage, etc., to recompense me for the outlay.

"I am not trying to make anything out of the business. If I get what I demand, which is $3 for each diploma and $3 50 for each medal, the total sum I shall receive will not more than recompense me for my actual cash. They must either recompense me or I shall retain the papers and bronzes that are to me worthless trash.

"As to my assumption of the title of Canadian Commissioner that is not strictly true, for I never claimed to be more than acting Canadian Commissioner. This man James Anderson gave everything in connection with the Canadian exhibit into my charge for a consideration, and during his stay at the fair acted merely as superintendent or watchman. I did all the work and acted as commissioner in good faith. When Mr. Anderson left San Francisco, as nearly as I could learn, he did not take the trouble to hunt up the diplomas and medals. I did and I have them all in my possession, ready to turn over to the parties for whom they were intended when the comparatively small sum which I claim for contingent expenses is paid to me."

LODGEROOM GOSSIP.

Important Pythian Gathering—The Prosperous A. O. U. W.—Social Events.

J. C. Byrne, grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, paid an official visit to Victoria lodge No. 17 on Thursday evening. E Leeson acted as grand master at arms, M. Conlin as grand prelate, R Johns, as vice-grand; G Madigan as inner guard, A. Rusta as outer guard, E. Pferdner as keeper of record and seal, and H. Benson as master of work. The grand chancellor was supported on his right by D. D. grand chancellor W. P. Allen, and on his left by G. Gilbert, chancellor commander of Victoria No. 17 Grand Chancellor Byrne delivered an instructing and interesting address, after which refreshments were served and the the evening's entertainment was brought to a close.

Columbia lodge No. 2, I O.O.F., will have the first nomination of officers for the next term on Wednesday evening. There will also be team practice and other important business.

Colfax Degree lodge, Sisters of Rebekah, will hold its regular semi-monthly meeting Tuesday evening. There will probably be an initiation.

The Grand Lodge, A.O.U.W., has met with decided success this year, there not having been a single death in the jurisdiction, and therefore no assessments. The committee on finance met Friday, and awarded the tender for Grand Lodge supplies. Mr. G. Leiser, P.G.M.U., has been appointed Deputy Grand Master for this district.

Alexandra lodge, Sons of England, give a social in the Sir William Wallace hall on Wednesday evening, to which the members of all other lodges of the order are invited. The minstrel troupe will furnish an entertainment.

The Companions of the Forest, B. C. Circle No. 118, have arranged for an ice cream social and dance in A.O.U.W. hall on Thursday evening. There will be a musical programme and the gipsy dance from "Il Trovatore." Richardson's orchestra will furnish the music. The regular meeting of the circle will be held in Foresters' hall on Monday evening.

IMPORTANT!!—For the next two months the stock of C. A. Lombard, consisting of pianos, organs, violins, guitars, banjos, music boxes, flutes, clarionettes, books, folios, sheet music, etc, will be sold at cost for cash. This is a rare chance for bargains and should not be lost sight of. Call and examine the goods and be convinced that you cannot buy anywhere else at our prices.

Arrived new wall papers, Mellor's. *

We are clearing out our stock of Japanese Mattings; only a few patterns left but they are good patterns. Weller Bros. *

Advertisements under the heads of Lost, Found, For Sale or To Let and Situations Wanted will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

WANTS.

WANTED—A second hand canoe at once. Address S.S., Colonist office. my11-2t

A YOUNG (Parisian French) lady, well educated, graduated, speaking English, teaching French, piano, kindergarten, seamstress, cutting, fitting nicely, children's fancy dresses are her specialty, taking entire charge of children, wishes situation in a family; references as governess, seamstress and ladies maid. Address Governess, Colonist office. my11-2t

WANTED—81 Johnson street—ladies' and gentlemen's cast off clothing, boots and shoes. my11-1m

WANTED TO RENT—By a good tenant, modern house containing eight rooms and bathroom; must be conveniently situated, within 15 minutes walk of post office. Address Alpha, Colonist office. ap9 6t

TO LET OR LEASE.

TO LET—Neatly furnished front rooms, with use of kitchen if required. Apply at 139 Michigan street my10-12t

TO LET—The Club Stables, 156 Yates street. These spacious and roomy stables have been entirely renovated and are now offered at a moderate rent to a responsible party. Apply to Pemberton & Son, 45 Fort street. my10-3t

TO LET—Large and convenient house, eleven rooms; bathroom, cellar, hot and cold water, electric light; three minutes walk from Post Office. $25. Apply 24 Rae street. ap20-1m

TO LET—Handsomely furnished front room, ground floor; excellent cuisine; good attendance. Esperanza, 32 Rae street. my9-6t

ROOMS AND BOARD for one or two gentlemen, within five minutes' walk from post office. Apply to 135 Pandora ave. mr5

TO-LET—For the summer season or longer, the Maple Bay House, Maple Bay, with about 2 acres fruit bearing orchard, and 160 acres sheep run, if wanted. This is the finest and prettiest place on the Island for anyone seeking health or pleasure, nice beach, fine fishing, good shooting, etc. Apply at the Alderlea, Duncans, Wm. Beaumont. mr10tf

FOR RENT — Nicely furnished large front room, with bow window, on lower floor. Apply 66 Rae street. ja30-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A good family cow, just calved. Apply Hastie & Bannerman, Johnson St. my11-3t

FOR SALE—A small steam launch, 20 feet long, 6 feet beam, in good running order; will be sold cheap. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

FOR SALE—Boathouse and boats, etc. Apply D., Colonist office. my7 6t

FOR SALE—A good milch cow, the reason for selling is that the owner has no place to keep her; she is three months in calf. Apply to Mrs. Kennedy, Russell street, Victoria West. my2-3t

FOR SALE—Sixty acres of magnificent alder bottom land, partly under cultivation, near E. & N. Ry. For particulars apply to F. Beaumont, Weslholme, Hall's Crossing, E. & N. Ry. my1-1mo

FOR SALE—A mare, road cart and harness; mare perfectly quiet, and goes under saddle; price $150. Further particulars apply A.B.G., this office. mr19-1m

FOR SALE—One of the best farms in South Saanich, on the East road about 10 miles from Victoria Post Office, containing 100 acres; about 50 acres cleared and under cultivation; 6-roomed house, good farm buildings; over 200 fruit trees, all first-class land; splendid spring of water. The farm is close to the Victoria & Sidney Railway. For further particulars apply to A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street. ap26

FOR SALE—Twenty-five acres of good land, well improved and well fenced and cross fenced, with house of seven rooms; lath and plastered, veranda back and front, barn and 2 chicken houses to carry 800 chickens; natural spring water; good garden, fruit trees. The above is on the Victoria & Nanaimo main road, about 1 mile from McPherson's Station, E. & N. Railway. Will take city property for part or whole payment, or will take one-half cash and mortgage on the balance. Price two thousand five hundred dollars, $2,500. This is a rare chance as the owner has to go to Europe. For further particulars apply at the Colonist office. ap24-3m

FOR SALE—Sixty acres good land, all cleared; about 18 miles below Lillooet. Apply Tai Soong & Co., 40 Cormorant street. ap11-1m

RANCHING NEAR VICTORIA, $16 per acre will buy 700 acre farm, beautiful, desirable sea front, with excellent fishing and shooting; or will take partner with, say $1,500, to invest in stock raising. Apply Rancher, Box 773, Victoria, B. C. mr24-2m

FOR SALE—
A fine mansion and outbuildings with all possible conveniences, in Quamichan District, together with 300 acres of land; about 50 of which are improved and partly under orchard, crops, etc. Fine shooting and fishing may be had on the estate. About one mile from Koksilah station.

TO LET—
For a term of years—Tzouhalim—fronting on Cowichan Bay, together with 100 acres of land; partly in grass and orchard.

TO LET—
With privilege of purchase, several fine properties in Victoria City.

For terms apply to HEISTERMAN & CO., ap17-1mo 75 Government Street.

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100 acres farming land, South Saanich, well timbered. The Victoria & Saanich R.R. passes through the section.

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250 acres of farming land (90 acres of which are prairie), South Saanich. The Victoria & Saanich R.R. has a station on one section.

FOR SALE—
253 acres, a farm on the coast of the North Saanich peninsula. A very fine piece of property.

All these properties will be sold cheap and on easy terms. Apply to HEISTERMAN & CO., 75 Government Street.

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Forty acres in Lake District, on main road, about an hour's drive from town, and close to Victoria & Sidney Railway; the land is partly cleared, with good water, and nicely situated. This property will be sold cheap, either in bulk or in ten (10) acre pieces. Full information given.

MONEY TO LEND on good security.

SWINERTON & ODDY,
Accountants, Agents and Notaries Public,
110 Government street,
Telephone 491. P.O. Box 631.

TO LET OR LEASE.

The premises No. 88 Government street, now occupied by D. Campbell & Co. Possession on 21st May; rent moderate. Also small store No. 90½ Government street, with immediate possession. Apply to Accountant at Bank of British Columbia.
Victoria, 7th May, 1895. my8-eod

J. RODERICK ROBERTSON,
OF DALLAS ROAD, VICTORIA, B.C.

Business communications, etc., for above, requiring attention prior to Mr. Robertson's return may be forwarded (by mails leaving Victoria up to 7th September) to
11 Oakhill Park, Hamstead, London, Eng.
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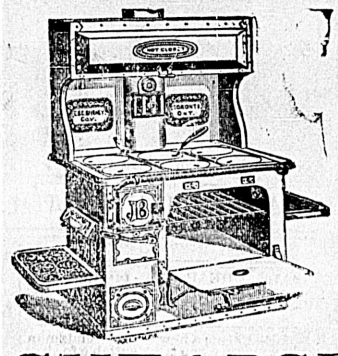

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The fine hotel property known as the Courtenay House, with all convenient out-buildings, is now for sale on easy terms. The hotel is perhaps the best constructed building for the purpose in the district, comparatively new, is now doing a good paying business, and is admirably situated at the junction of the Union road with the Bay and Settlement roads, in the thriving village of Courtenay—the heart of Comox settlement and the gateway to Union mines. Satisfactory reasons given for selling. For further particulars enquire of ROBERT GRAHAM, the proprietor, on the premises, or

JOHN WILSON, Steamer Joan.
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MONEY TO LOAN on Victoria real estate. A. W. More, 70 Douglas street.

Sound the loud timbrel
O'er Canada's fair land;
For fine Marmalades, Jams and Jellies,
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Put up in 1-lb. and 2-lb. jars and 5-lb. and 7-lb. pails. Sold by all grocers.

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Graduate of Montreal Veterinary College,
Dominion Veterinary Inspector,
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MR. A. F. OWEN,
Pianoforte Tuner, from J. & J. Hopkinson's, the well-known manufacturer of pianofortes, London, England; 12 years' experience. Particulars as to my ability may be had from the above firm; 3½ years with Goodwin & Co., Victoria. Orders left at Hibben's Bookstore and Waitt's Music Store. fe5

MADAME LAIRD,
TEACHER OF VOCAL MUSIC IN ALL ITS BRANCHES.
For terms apply at residence, 161 Vancouver street, corner Pandora. se30

PHOTOGRAPHERS.

MAYNARD'S ART STUDIO, 41 Pandora street, Dealers in all kinds of photographic material, views of British Columbia and Alaska.
Same Block—Maynard's Shoe and Finding Store, 41 Pandora street. Boots, Shoes, Leather and Shoe Findings. "K" boots a specialty. fe1

PAINTERS AND PAPER HANGERS.

RLETTICE — Dealer in Paints, Oils, varnish and window glass. Agent for Brilliant Sign Letter Co., and Aspenall's Enamel, 40 Fort street. mo17

SCAVENGERS.

ED. LINES, General Scavenger, 236 Yates street. Yards, etc., cleaned. Orders left at Geo. Munroe, 89 Government street; Speed Bros., cor. Douglas and Fort; or Blair & Gordon, cor. Menzies and Michigan, will be promptly attended to. de3

NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia

In the matter of the Estate of William Robertson, of North Saanich, deceased, intestate.

All persons indebted to or having any claims against this Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness and send particulars of their claims to the Administrator, Mr. Henry Brethour, of Stoney, North Saanich, Vancouver Island.
Dated 29th April, 1895
WILLIAM DUCK,
Solicitor for the Administrator.
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NOTICE.

Estate of the Honorable Hugh Nelson, deceased.

All persons indebted to or having claims against this Estate are required on or before the 15th day of May, 1895, to make payment or application for payment to the Executors at the office of the undersigned After the said date the assets of the said Estate will be distributed amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the Executors have had notice.
Victoria, B.C., 29th April, 1895.
DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Bastion Street, Victoria,
ap30-td Solicitors for the Estate.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the Matter of the Winding Up Act, and in the Matter of the B.C. Pottery and Terra Cotta Company, Limited Liability.

The creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 11th day of May, 1895, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors, if any, to Arnold Foster Barham, the liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from the said liquidator, are, by their solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the chambers of the Hon. Mr. Justice Tyrwhitt Drake, at the Court House, Victoria, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Tuesday, the 21st day of May, 1895, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at said chambers is appointed for the hearing and adjudicating upon the debts or claims.

Dated 30th day of April, 1895.
A. F. BARHAM,
my1-tf Liquidator.

1895, T. No. 6.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Between
Jacob Hunter Todd and Charles Fox Todd, Plaintiffs,
AND
Orlando B. Hardy, Defendant.

Take notice that this action was on the 27th day of February, 1895, commenced against you in the Supreme Court of British Columbia by Jacob Hunter Todd and Charles Fox Todd, for an account of what is due to the plaintiffs for principal, interest and costs on a mortgage dated the 7th day of October, 1891, made between you of the one part, and the said plaintiffs of the other part, for payment of the amount found due on the taking of the said account, and that the mortgage may be enforced by foreclosure or sale; And further take notice that by an order made herein this day, service of a copy of the concurrent writ herein by leaving a copy thereof and a copy of the said order with the manager, accountant or other person apparently in charge of the office of R. P. Rithet & Company, Limited Liability, and sending a copy of the writ issued on the 27th February, 1895, and a copy of the notice thereof, addressed to you at Baker City, Oregon, and advertising notice of this order and the commencement of this action for eight days in the Victoria DAILY COLONIST is good and sufficient service of the writ in this action.

And also take notice that you are required to appear to the said writ within ten day after the service thereof, otherwise the action will proceed against you as for default of appearance.

Dated May 8th, 1895.
DAVIE, POOLEY & LUXTON,
Plaintiffs' Solicitors.
To the above-named defendant, Orlando B. Hardy. my9-8t

PUBLIC NOTICE:

The undersigned will make loans from $1 to $1,000 on any approved security.

VICTORIA LOAN OFFICE,
183 Government Street
rivate entrance on Pandora Street. o13

NOTICES.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.
20th April, 1895.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint E. Baynes Reed, of Esquimalt, Esquire, S.M., to be Honorary Meteorologist for the Province of British Columbia. my10-6t

EDUCATION OFFICE.
Victoria, May 1st, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual examination of candidates for certificates of qualification to teach in the Public Schools of the Province will be held as follows, commencing on Wednesday, July 3rd, at 9 a.m.:

Victoria.....In South Park School Building.
Vancouver....In High School Building.
Kamloops.....In Public School Building.

Each applicant must forward a notice, thirty days before the examination, stating the class and grade of certificate for which he will be a candidate, the optional subjects selected, and at which of the above named places he will attend.

Every notice of intention to be an applicant must be accompanied with satisfactory testimonial of moral character.

Candidates are notified that all of the above requirements must be fulfilled before their applications can be filed.

All candidates for First Class, Grade A, Certificates, including Graduates, must attend in Victoria to take the subjects prescribed for July 13th and 15th instants, and to undergo required oral examinations.

S. D. POPE,
my4d&wim Superintendent of Education

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery for the year 1895.

SPRING ASSIZES.

Nanaimo	Tuesday	7th May.
New Westminster	Tuesday	14th May.
Vancouver	Tuesday	21st May.
Clinton	Monday	27th May.
Victoria	Tuesday	28th May.
Kamloops	Monday	3rd June.
Vernon	Monday	10th June.
*Donald	Friday	14th June.
*Nelson	Wednesday	19th June.

*Special Assize. ap19

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.
27th March, 1895.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor, under the provisions of the "Pharmacy Act, 189 ," as amended by the "Pharmacy Act Amendment Act, 1895," has been pleased to appoint the following members of the Pharmaceutical Association of British Columbia, namely: T. M. HENDERSON, of the City of Victoria, CHARLES NELSON, of the City of Vancouver, and T. A. MUIR, of the City of New Westminster, Esquires, a Board of Examiners for the current year.

29th March, 1895.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, under the provisions of the "Dentistry Consolidatio Act, 1895," has been pleased to appoint th undermentioned members a Board of Examiners to hold office for the several terms placed opposite their respective names, and until their successors have been duly appointed, namely:—

THOMAS J. JONES, of the City of Victoria Esquire, L.D.S., for five years.

W. J. CURRIE, of the City of Nanaimo, Esquire, D.D.S., for four years.

A. J. HOLMES, of the City of New Westminster, Esquire, D.D.S., for three years.

C. H. GATEWOOD, of the City of Vancouver, Esquire, D.D.S., for two years.

ALBERT R. BAKER, of the City of Victoria, Esquire, D.D.S., for one year. ap12-1w

"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893," as Amended by the "Fire Insurance Policy Amendment Act, 1895."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to Secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance" from the 1st day of April, 1895, to the 1st day of July, 1895.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
28th February, 1895. mr2-td

NOTICE is hereby given that at the next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the city of Victoria, I shall apply for a transfer of the license now held by me to sell spirituous or fermented liquors by retail at the Rock Bay Hotel, corner of Bridge and Work streets, to George Bassett and Alexander Simpson.
ALEXANDER CAMERON.
Victoria, B.C., May 10th, 1895. my10-30t

NOTICE is hereby given that I shall apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the city of Victoria, for a transfer of the license now held by me to sell spirituous or fermented liquors by retail at the premises known as the Jubilee Saloon, 49 Johnson street, to John H. Lindsay.
JOHN H. GAERDES
Victoria, B.C., May 9th, 1895. my9-30t

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Bridge on Gorge Road, near Mr. Chambers' residence, is closed until further notice.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.
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BRITISH COLUMBIA CONCERNS

Interview With Hon. J. H. Turner—The Policy and Prospects of the Province.

Mining Development — The British Pacific Railway—Grievances of the Sealers.

(From the Canadian Gazette.)

There is no secret about the main object of Mr. Turner's visit to London. At the last session of the British Columbian legislature a loan of £420,000 was authorised, to bear interest not exceeding 3½ per cent.; and it is Mr. Turner's purpose in visiting this country to supervise the negotiations, and, at the same time, to enjoy some respite from official cares. For seven successive years Mr. Turner has held the portfolio of finance in the provincial cabinet, and last month, upon the elevation of Mr. Davie to the chief justiceship of the province, he also took upon himself the duties of the premiership.

THE DEPRESSION.

"Times are not at their best with you in the Pacific Province," remarked a Canadian Gazette representative to Mr. Turner on Monday.

"No; times have been very bad with us. One of our chief industries—the lumber business—has been and is depressed, and the fishery business has been bad, too. The depression has been general all along the Pacific coast and throughout the American continent, and, indeed, throughout the world. We did not feel it in British Columbia until a year or so ago, but we have felt it since, especially in the lumber business."

WARS AND TRADE.

"They say that a depression may be expected to strike Canada a year or eighteen months after it strikes the States."

"Yes, that is curious. The depression in lumber began before the trouble in Valparaiso. That country is a large customer of ours. The war stopped exports, but when the war was over we all thought there would be a large demand. The country was, however, so disorganized that the demand did not arise as we expected. Then the war between China and Japan upset another branch of the lumber trade, but we are now just beginning to ship lumber to Europe, and—a new departure for us—to Egypt, too. The Australasian trade is very poor as yet; you know how depressed all business has been in the Australasian colonies. Of course, the opening up of China as a result of the war should mean much to us, for heavy works are certain to be undertaken there, and ours is the lumber for shipping, building, and the like. We have always done a little with Japan, and that too has, of course, ceased, but a large demand may be expected now."

THE JAPANESE TREATY.

"But the cable tells us, Mr. Turner, that your government is determined to do all it can to check the development of Canadian trade with Japan by opposing Canada's inclusion in the benefits of the Anglo-Japanese treaty."

"I know nothing of any such government opposition. No step of the kind had been taken or even thought of when I left British Columbia. It is, of course, possible that those who are opposed to the cheap labor which the Japs and Chinese bring to the Pacific coast may have appreached the ministry since I left, and asked that the Canadian government be petitioned to oppose Canada's inclusion in a treaty which would tend to encourage the influx of that cheap labor; but the question is one requiring careful consideration, and it had not really come before us when I left Victoria."

"It must, of course, be decided upon broad national lines—from the point of view not alone of one province but of the whole Dominion."

"Quite so; that is natural. Canada as a whole, and British Columbia in particular, would, presumably, derive great commercial advantages in Japan under the treaty, and against these advantages would be set this very difficult question of Asiatic immigration."

AGAINST THE ASIATIC.

"But surely, Mr. Turner, you differentiate between the Japs and the Chinese. Upon the Chinaman, I know, you put a poll-tax of $50 on entry, but not upon the Jap. The Chinaman looks upon British Columbia and all white man's land as a place for money-making, not for home-making. China remains his home, and there he takes his savings and dies. Not so the Jap."

"No doubt that is so, and until the session before the last no attempt was made to legislate against the Japanese in British Columbia. But the question was raised in that session—upon some railway bill, I think, when a clause was under discussion forbidding the employment of Chinese labor—and someone then said that the Japs would be just as troublesome to workingmen as the Chinese."

"Yet what would you do without the Chinese and the Japs?"

"It is a difficult question. They certainly are our market gardeners, our washerfolk, and furnish our cheap labor. A few white men have of late taken up market gardening, and there are good openings in that way for men with capacity and small capital."

NO RAW YOUNG MEN WANTED.

"What classes of Englishment do you want?"

"None, unless they have money or are hard workers. Business is, as I have said, in a depressed state just now. Not only is the lumber business bad, but in many districts the fishery business has not been paying, though the Fraser fishery is happily an exception. The coal mining industry is also not what it was and what it will be again. We have been overrun with young men who want situations. Now, we really have no room for them as things are."

"Not even if they mean hard work on, say, the land?"

"Ah, they say they will do anything, and they are willing enough. They set to with tremendous spirit, and work splendidly at the outset, but from want of experience they may not use the best judgment, and seeing little progress made, especially in some of our heavily-wooded sections, they give it up in despair. They have not enough grit and persistent patience for a new country, and it is better for them to stay here at home in England and do the best they can."

EXPERIENCE AND CAPITAL.

"Whom then do you encourage?"

"Men with some experience and capital, who will be satisfied to go into mixed farming on our coast lands especially, or in the interior of the island and the mainland, where there are splendid fruit-growing and general farming tracts. We import one million dollars' worth of dairy products in the year. Did you ever hear of such a thing for a land so abundantly endowed as British Columbia is? and yet it is not everyone that can farm. We want, as I say, men with experience and some capital; not raw youths with neither.

COLONIZATION NOT ISOLATION.

"Experience has also brought home to us the great benefit of settlement in colonies as opposed to settlement in isolated items. We have, as you know, drawn up regulations to encourage settlements in colonies so that settlers may not be shut out from one another, but may have their schools and churches and social organizations."

"These colony regulations are not, then, applicable only to the Norwegians at Bella Coola?"

"No, they are open to all; but they are working well at Bella Coola, where the colonists have joint fishing and farming holdings, and easily find a market along the coast, and at Nanaimo and elsewhere, for their fish and produce. Already the Norwegians there have put up forty houses together in a colony, and two delegates were, when I left, returning to Montana or Dakota to bring 100 more to the settlement."

"You, too, like the Northwest and Ontario and Quebec, are settling your vacant lands with colonists from the United States?"

"And excellent colonists they are. There is another colony on the west coast of Vancouver island also of Norwegians and also from the States, and they will, like the Bella Coola colonists, attract fellow-countrymen from Scandinavia."

"The country suits them?"

"Yes. The leader of the Bella Coola settlement amused me the other day. When he was in the middle of negotiations with the government some persons interested in other parts sought to dissuade him from Bella Coola. 'Poor country, that,' they told him; 'rains 100 days out of the 365.' 'And did that frighten you?' I asked. 'Well,' he replied, 'I told him that in our country we had rain for 200 days out of the 365.' As a matter of fact, the Norwegians do not find the rain at all excessive at Bella Coola."

MINING PROGRESSES.

"What about the mining prospects in the province?"

"Very promising. You may remember that we guaranteed the bonds of the Nakusp & Slocan railway. The line was opened at the beginning of the year, and is eminently successful in taking out ore; in fact, there is more traffic than it can carry."

"Where does the ore go?"

"Ah, I thought you would ask that. At present it goes to the United States, to Helena, to be smelted. It has to be picked, and only the richest is sent away. It must run $160 to $200 to the ton to make it worth while to send it away. But that will be remedied. A large smelter is about to be opened at Pilot Bay, on Kootenay lake, and the ore will be sent direct there for smelting, to the great advantage of the province. Another very large smelter is being built near Revelstoke on the Canadian Pacific railway by a United States company to take the ore of that district. From the Nakusp and Slocan district hundreds of thousands of tons of ore, mostly silver, have been taken out already. Then at Trail Creek, Kootenay, a mining railway is being built."

"Also with United States money?"

"Also by a United States company. Indeed, the whole of the Kootenay without exception shows great signs of prosperity this year."

IN CARIBOO.

"And what of Cariboo gold?"

"Great developments are in progress there in the way of hydraulic mining. A clean up was reported last autumn said to have been the result of a few days' working, the nett result of which was somewhere about $5,000 or $6,000. The ground is very rich, but the difficulty has been to get enough water. They have now completed their ditches—the Quesnelle one is sixteen miles, and the other eight or nine miles. An English company is opening up the old Cariboo mines—the old placer mines—and is sending in gigantic steam pumping and hydraulic machinery. These mines were abandoned many years ago after the miners had got out as much as they could of the surface gold. One of the mines held by the widow of an old-time miner and unsaleable before, has just been bought by the company for $30,000, so that the outlook in Cariboo is most promising."

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"And also a money subsidy?"

"No, none has been asked for; and seeing this large land grant and the position of the province, it could not be expected at present. Mr. Rithet, M.P.P., who is largely interested in the project, has spoken of some proposal he may put before the government for aid at some future time; but nothing is in contemplation at present. The present loan is not for the purpose of aiding railway undertakings, but for public works and roads."

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"I suppose, Mr. Turner, you feel sorely in British Columbia the action of the United States Congress in throwing out the sealers' award?"

"It is a great injustice to the sealers; and we think, in view of the great hardship to these deserving British subjects, the British government should advance the $425,000 which the United States government agreed upon as reasonable compensation for the injury done them and their industry by the unwarranted United States seizures. An international court of arbitration has declared that they were pursuing their lawful calling on the high seas. They were flying the British flag, and they look for the protection of that flag. It is nonsense to say, as Senator Morgan does, that the claims are made by United States citizens. The British Columbia sealing fleet consists of about sixty-five vessels, and of these two or three may be owned by United States citizens; the rest are owned by British subjects, and they look to England for justice."

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GOOD ADVICE.

A good deal is being said in the East about a letter of advice which Governor Schultz has received from Dr. Bourinot, Clerk of the House of Commons, and the principal authority now in the Dominion on constitutional law and parliamentary practice. It seems to us the most natural thing in the world that Governor Schultz should, in a matter for which there is no precedent in the Dominion, consult so high an authority as Dr. Bourinot. The remedial order now before the Manitoba Legislature is the first that was ever issued in this Dominion, and it is no reproach to Governor Schultz that he should feel at a loss how to act with regard to it. The policy of his making the fact of his applying to Dr. Bourinot for advice known, and of his permitting the letter of advice to be published, may be open to question, but it seems to us that he ought to be commended rather than censured for applying to the best source available for counsel on so difficult a subject.

The letter is a very able one. The writer treats his subject from a non-political and a non-religious standpoint. He regards it simply as a matter of constitutional law. The constitution should, he believes, be the sole guide of all the parties concerned. The following extract from one of the concluding paragraphs of his letter, which is a very long one, shows very clearly in what light Dr. Bourinot views the Manitoba school question in its present aspect:

It will be seen from all that I have said, I take my stand entirely on the constitutional law which governs all parties to this issue, and on the opinion of the highest court of the Empire. As I commenced this memorandum, so I conclude, by pressing the necessity of taking in all such matters as this a strictly legal view of the whole question. I do so because it is essential to the satisfactory and efficient interpretation of a written constitution. I cannot do better than emphasize all I have said by quoting the language of an eminent English constitutional authority, Professor Duey, on this very subject: "Federalism means legalism—the predominance of the judiciary in the constitution—the prevalence of legality among the people . . . That a federal system can flourish only among communities imbued with a legal spirit and trained to reverence the law, is as certain as can be any conclusion of political speculation. The main reason why the United States has carried out the federal system with unequalled success is that the people of the Union are more thoroughly imbued with legal ideas than any other existing nation. Constitutional questions arising out of either the constitutions of the separate States or the articles of the federal constitution are of daily occurrence and constantly occupy the courts. Matters which excite the strongest popular feeling are determined by the judicial bench, and the decision of the bench is acquiesced in by the people. This acquiescence or submission is due to the Americans inheriting the legal notions of the common law, i. e., 'of the most legal system of law' (if the expression may be allowed) in the world. Any nation who cannot acquiesce in the finality even of possibly mistaken judgments is hardly fit to form part of a federal state."

The constitution is the agreement or covenant by which the provinces which form the confederation are held together, and if the people of the different provinces, of all creeds and all parties, do not respect the obligations of that covenant and are not prepared to carry them out until they are constitutionally changed or abrogated, the confederation cannot hold together. It will certainly fall to pieces. The first question to be considered in connection with this Manitoba school question, as Dr. Bourinot points out, is, What does the constitution say; and how is it interpreted by competent authorities? The proper interpretation being known, all loyal Canadians, all respecters of the covenant by which the confederation is held together—whether they like the interpretation or not—will acquiesce in that interpretation and act as it directs. The bargain of confederation, like every other bargain, is binding on all the parties concerned, and the permanence of the union depends on the strictest good faith being maintained. Dr. Bourinot has, we are quite satisfied, pointed out the way, and the only way, in which the Manitoba school problem can be satisfactorily solved.

A SUSPICIOUS CONVERSION.

Very little has been heard of the Mormons and their "peculiar institution" of late years. It has been said that a very large proportion of the Latter Day Saints have disavowed polygamy. Their sincerity has been doubted by unbelieving and uncharitable gentiles. These sceptics declare that some of the Mormons repudiate polygamy because its practice in the territory is unlawful and because its maintenance as a religious tenet prevents the territory becoming a state of the Union. Some of the Mormons pretend to renounce polygamy to gain political and other worldly advantages, but let them be endowed with all the powers of self-government and they will return to their old ways in the matter of marriage.

A constitutional convention was held in the territory a short time ago. At this convention the following amendment was offered: "The act of the Governor and Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Utah, entitled 'An act to punish polygamy and other kindred offences,' approved February, 1892, in so far as the same defines and imposes penalties, is hereby declared to be in force in the State of Utah." This amendment, after a long discussion, was carried by a vote of 72 to 16. This may be called a modern "self-denying ordinance," and makes polygamy a felony in Utah when it becomes a state. The effect of the amendment to the constitution is thus described by an American newspaper: "Polygamy, plural and spiritual marriage, and all the rest of the illicit unions which prevailed so long in Utah under Mormon rule, are forbidden by the organic law, and the sentiment of the people will uphold the constitution." We are afraid that our American contemporary is a little too sanguine. Moral reforms are very seldom indeed effected by statute law. The people who do not believe in the righteousness of a statute may find it convenient to conform to it outwardly, but their hearts and their consciences not being affected by the law, they violate it secretly as often as it is safe to do so, and as soon as they feel themselves strong enough they will, when they have power, do their very best to have it repealed. It may be that polygamy in Utah is now part of a creed outworn; that the people have become convinced it is wrong and that it has in consequence become obsolete, and that the amendment to the constitution is little more than an indication of the change of sentiment and conviction that has already taken place in the territory. If this is the case, when the people are invested with the full power of self-government polygamy will be sure to die out. But if it is not, if the Mormons are still in their hearts polygamists, the "organic law" will not prevent the revival of polygamy. As soon as the Mormons are convinced that they can safely go back to their old ways in the matter of marriage they will strike out of the constitution of the state the provision which makes polygamy felony.

A SINGULAR CASE.

A singular murder case has just been tried in Toronto. Some time ago a young man named Frank Westwood was shot in the doorway of his father's house. He was mortally wounded, but he did not die at once. He said that the person who shot him was a man, but he was unable to identify him, and he had no suspicion as to who he could be. The murder created quite a sensation and search was made for the murderer. After a while a girl named Clara Ford was arrested. It was found that she had in her possession a suit of man's clothing and a revolver which had recently been used. The evidence against the suspected woman was not at all strong, but the detective who had her in charge induced her to make a confession. On the trial, in the witness box the prisoner withdrew her confession and declared that it was all a lie from beginning to end. This is part of her evidence:

Reburn told me to sit down at the table, and he sat down beside me and said, "Clara, if you don't tell this it'll be the worse for you. I you were my own sister I couldn't do more for you." I said I didn't know anything about it. Then he said: "Only tell me what your motive was. Say that he insulted you. There's $500 or $600 offered for this," and with that he winked. "If you don't," he says, "it'll be the worse for you; but if you tell me all I won't say a word about it, and I'll see that you're a free woman and walk the streets again." (Sensation.) I refused again, saying I didn't know anything about it. Then Reburn looked at his watch and said it was a quarter to or a quarter past eleven (I forget which), and that he had no more time to bother with it, and said, "Clara, you're in a net, and can't get out." All this time he had been walking up and down the room, and every time he said it would be the worse for me if I didn't tell. I said I had nothing to tell. That is true. At last I got so confused, seeing they were blaming me for what I hadn't done, and that they said they would let me go if I confessed, that I said I did it; and then, as I had begun, I went on. I told him how I was dressed, and as he said I had the hat on I put that in; and then about being at Mrs. Crozlers, just as she had told them before. I thought it might as well fit her story.

The jury, it seems, were convinced that she told the truth in the witness box and they refused to convict her. There were circumstances, too, which corroborated the girl's story. Evidence was produced to show that at the time the murder was committed she was at the theatre with a companion. It is not often that a person who has confessed to having committed a crime is acquitted, but for a man or woman who is innocent to confess to committing so serious a crime as murder is rarer still. From the demonstration made by the crowd in and near the court house when it was known that a verdict of "not guilty" had been rendered, we conclude that popular sympathy was with the accused woman.

STRAY SHOTS.

The Times yesterday evening said nothing about "bye-election results." In this it hardly did itself justice, for the ingenuity which can convert a loss of fifteen seats into a gain of four is most remarkable and deserves to be kept before the people.

A good deal has been said about the corruption of the Conservatives and the remarkable purity of the Grits. The following record of contested elections will give the reader an idea mathematically exact of the relative purity of the two parties. Since the institution of the election courts in 1874, the record is as follows, including the election of 1891:

	Conservative.	*Grit.*
Members unseated	48	83
Members disqualified	1	3

In face of this record, the man who declares the Grits pure and the Conservatives corrupt must have a face of brass.

During the campaign prior to the elections in 1891, Mr. Charlton wrote:

With a French Catholic leader, and under the manipulations of such unscrupulous machine politicians as J. D. Edgar et al., I have not the utmost confidence in the immediate future of the Reform party.

Has Mr. Charlton changed his opinion since he uttered the above?

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.

There can be no doubt that the great powers of the West have exercised an influence in modifying the terms of peace between Japan and China. How that influence was exerted is now, and perhaps will always remain, a secret. But we think that it may be safely taken for granted that if the negotiations for peace had not been closely watched by powerful and highly interested bystanders, the terms agreed upon would have been materially different from what they are. The consciousness of the presence of spectators was, we venture to say, never for a moment absent from the negotiators, and how they would regard this and that condition was well considered by them both. We are very much afraid that it would have gone very hard indeed with the Chinese if all that they had to depend upon were the magnanimity, the forbearance and the enlightened self-interest of their conquerors.

There have been a great many surmises as to the parts which Germany, Russia, England, France and the United States took in this business of peace-making, but nothing definite seems to be known. It appeared certain at one time that Russia would interfere to prevent the acquisition of territory on the mainland by Japan, but if it did anything it did it so secretly and so quietly that no sign of its interference has been seen or heard. However, the business seems to be happily ended, and people are now wondering what is to be the future of Japan.

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W. Lundberg "	C. L. Waldhams, valise.
J. Moore "	1 no name, valise.
D. McArthur "	H. Hamilton "
G. Sterling "	J. W. Stewart "
Lobby Bros, 2 "	W. G. Watts, roll.
W. H. Mendell "	2 no name, t&v.
Do. 1 telescope grip.	No name 1 valise.
C. Peters, 2 valises.	Do. "
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S. Carson 1 trunk.	Hirschfield "
2 no name, 1 trunk & val.	Stephen Dodd "
A. Rumble, 1 trunk.	No name, 2 val. & trunk.
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1 no name, trunk.	Piggott. "
Darsnport "	4 no name, valise.
Gordon Simpson, t&v.	F. Anderson, trunk.
W. A. McDonald, 1 chest.	W. H. Field, tool chest.
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Some choice acreage and town lots in the city will be sold at auction to-morrow, Monday, by H. Cuthbert & Co., in their real estate salerooms. A very choice piece of acreage situate on Charles street, will be sold first, by order of mortgagees, which should find a ready sale. Some very fine residential lots at Esquimalt, charmingly situated; close to tram and water, will next be offered, and most of th m will be sold absolutely without reserve. This is not a forced sale but a genuine desire on the part of the owners to see real estate move. Parties who have not yet seen either property should do so without delay. Maps may be had from the auctioners.

Connoisseurs and lovers of good oil paintings should see the small private collection by Vickers, R.A. silver medalist, to be sold at auction to morrow, Monday. They would certainly fetch a high price in London and some of our art patrons should secure some of these for their galleries.

THE CITY.

THE provincial annual convention of the Y.P.S.C.E. will be held in the First Presbyterian church here on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

A VERY pretty floating boat house in the Swiss style is being completed on the Victoria Arm for Mr. James Dunsmuir. Mr. J. Gerhard Tiarks was the architect.

GEORGE RUPELLA was convicted in the police court yesterday of having supplied whiskey to William Charles, an Indian. The fine of $50 and costs was paid under protest, and Mr. Aikman announced that an appeal will be taken.

THE Guild of the Willing Workers of Christ church cathedral announce a sale of work for next Wednesday in the schoolroom from 3 to 6 o'clock. Afternoon tea will be served and a pleasing concert programme will be given in the evening.

IN Ward v. Clark an order was made in Chambers yesterday for examination of Robert Ward, a witness on behalf of plaintiff, the examination to take place on Monday; costs of application to be defendant's costs in cause. Mr. A. P. Luxton for plaintiff, Mr. A. L. Belyea for defendant.

THE contract for Mr. P. Hickey's handsome house at the corner of Cook and Bellot streets has been awarded by architect J. Gerhard Tiarks to Mr. A. G. Clark. Two new houses will shortly be commenced also, on Lampson street, Esquimalt district, Mr. Tiarks being at present at work on the plans.

A LARGE crowd was attracted to Oak Bay beach last evening by the band concert at the hotel. The evening was a glorious one, and the combination of moonlight and melody was thoroughly appreciated. There was also a good attendance at the Y.M.C.A. concert, when the programme as published yesterday was admirably carried out.

BEFORE Justices Crease and McCreight in the Divisional court yesterday, the appeal of Mason v. Nason was argued. Plaintiff appeals from an order of Mr. Justice Drake on April 29 setting aside a judgment obtained by plaintiff by default of defendant. Mr. L. P. Duff for appellant (plaintiff), and Mr. W. J. Taylor, for respondent (defendant).

R. M. PALMER, inspector of fruit pests, is back from the Mainland, where he attended the meeting of the fruitgrowers' association at Mission on Tuesday last. One of the resolutions passed was to support the petition of the Ontario fruit growers asking the Dominion government to appoint a commissioner in Great Britain to introduce Canadian fruits in the British markets.

THERE is more than idle rumor regarding business activity in the Kootenay country. The revival in the price of silver, followed by railway construction, has had a stimulating effect upon every branch of trade, and the same causes furnish ample grounds for the prevalent belief that an era of unusual development is at hand. Kaslo is already giving signs of a rise in values, which will be good news to the many holders of realty in that city.

THE full court has reserved its decision in Bainbridge v. the E. & N. railway. This is better known as the precious metals case, and arises out of the contention by the railway company that the precious metals within their land grant are their property. The plaintiff complained that in June 23 of last year he was ejected summarily by the defendants from a duly recorded placer claim known as the Blue Ruin in Alberni district. The defendants claimed that they had the right to precious metals within their land grant, but Mr. Justice Drake decided that the right of miners to enter upon land for mining purposes was not limited to crown lands, and gave judgment for plaintiff. From this judgment the defendants appealed. Hon. C. E. Pooley, Q. C., for appellants (defendants); the Hon. the Attorney-General for respondent.

ALD. R. T. WILLIAMS yesterday gave notice of three important resolutions which it is his intention to introduce at to-morrow's meeting of the city council. The first provides that as the management of the Home for the Aged and Infirm has not been satisfactory to the council the present caretaker be notified that his services will be dispensed with on June 15. The second is to authorize the Mayor to communicate with the Imperial authorities, through the Dominion government, again urging the immediate removal of the powder from the magazine in Beacon Hill park; and the third provides that "the city clerk be instructed to communicate with the authorities at Ottawa relative to receiving from them the full amount due this city for expenditure incurred in connection with the Darcey island lazaretto." Another motion is to instruct the city clerk to secure all possible information (by writing to the manufacturers) as to the cost of soot and smoke consumers, with a view to their introduction here. The last resolution on the list provides that the city engineer be instructed to suggest to the council a means whereby the material from the present excavations by dredging in James bay may be transferred to the mud flats inside the bridge, their reclamation being thereby facilitated."

THE R. M. S. Miowera was reported passing Carmanah Point at midnight, and will therefore arrive early this morning.

THE members of Victoria Ladies' True Blue lodge No. 37, are making arrangements for a box social and dance in the A. O. U. W. hall on June 5.

THERE will be a corner in the Women's papers of May 28 for school girls. Short contributions from pupils of the more advanced schools will be especially welcome. Address Box 279, Victoria.

THE special committee of the Methodist conference which is investigating the affairs of the Centennial church with regard to the request of the trustees to be released from their responsibilities, had a meeting last night.

A LOCAL association of medical practitioners has been formed for the discussion of subjects of interest to the profession and for mutual improvement. The officers are: Dr. Hanington, president; Dr. Milne, vice-president, and Dr. McKechnie, secretary-treasurer.

ALEXANDER MCKINNON, keeper of the Victoria harbor light house, died yesterday. He was a native of Greenock, Scotland, and 58 years of age, and was a member of the Oddfellows Association. The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 from Oddfellows hall, and a few minutes later from St. John's church.

IN Semple's hall last evening the Victoria West Dramatic Club presented the drama, "Lost in London. The principal characters were taken by Miss J. B. Semple, Miss D. Emerson, Miss C. Ure, and Messrs. A. W. Semple, A. B. Oldershaw, D. McDonald, T. F. Gold and F. S. Coleman. There was a good attendance and everything passed off pleasantly.

MR. G. A. HUFF reports from Alberni that the prospects in that section are brightening and that the mining element is especially hopeful. Operations at China Creek and the other developments in the vicinity will be prosecuted with largely increased activity, and the attention of capitalists is being occupied more earnestly than ever with this promising field.

WALTER CLARKE, a member of the Province composing staff, was badly injured by falling from a Fort street tram car last evening. The accident occurred just this side of the Oak Bay junction, but its cause is not exactly known. Clarke had been riding on the front end of the car and is believed to have been thrown off it by a sudden lurch. Superintendent Hussey and Dr. George Duncan, who had been visiting the Ross Bay suspect station, happened along just after the occurrence and the man was conveyed in their vehicle to the doctor's office, where his wounds—some bad gashes in the head—were attended to. He was afterwards conveyed to his home on Discovery street, where it is thought he will soon recover from the effects of his injuries.

THE strained relations which have existed for some time past between Hon. D. W. Higgins, ex president and managing director of the tramway company, and Mr. Hedley Chapman, the present managing director, led to blows being passed between the two at the tramway offices yesterday morning. Mr. Higgins was anxious to secure certain memoranda from the books of the company, to which as a heavy stockholder he had access. Mr. Chapman objected to the notes being taken and angry words were interchanged, Mr. Chapman finally making some reference to "boodling" and "thieving," which Mr. Higgins interpreted as having been intended to reflect on him. Blows immediately followed the words, Mr. Higgins taking the initiative and the conflict being of very short duration, friends separating the two belligerents. Later in the day Mr. W. R. Higgins met Mr. Chapman at Caledonia park and insisted on an explanation from him of the language used to his father. Another assault resulted, Mr. Higgins being the aggressor and Mr. Chapman faring badly at his hands. It is expected that the circumstances of the two assaults will be fully inquired into by the police magistrate; at present Mr. Chapman is confined to his room.

CASH GROCERY.
Hardress Clarke
has opened a
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at corner of Yates and Douglas streets,
where he invites the cash buyers
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The auction sale of the Bone Works on Government street is postponed until to-morrow.

Mrs. Dr. L. Runyon, chiropodist, manicuring, and removing superfluous hair, facial blemishes; all kind cosmetics for sale, face bleaching and face steaming. Five Sisters block, rooms 33 and 35; office hours 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. *

Carpets are ruined by having them cleaned by this scouring process. It brightens them up for the time being, but the strong chemicals used in this process lay in the fibre or body and rot it away, thereby ruining valuable carpets. People should not be deceived by canvassers soliciting such work. We employ no canvassers at the Victoria Machine Carpet Cleaning Works. W. T. Crocker, proprietor, 138 Fort street. Telephone 583.

Drink Victoria-Phœnix Lager Beer.

The Teutonia saloon, 112 Government street, has been re-opened by the original management, under the direction of L. P. Baumgart, who will be glad to see all the old friends as well as the new ones. Free lunch as formerly.

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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

The Amities Open the Baseball Season With a Splendid Win From the Seattles.

Victoria and San Francisco to Play Chess by Wire—Vancouver Wins at Lacrosse.

The game played here yesterday between the Amities and Seattle will not soon be forgotten by the host of spectators lucky enough to witness it. It was one of the grandest contests ever put up in Victoria. Both nines played up to the standard of professionals, and the game abounded in exhibitions of skill and nerve, evoking the highest enthusiasm from all.

First about the audience that filled the capacious grandstand, and crowded all the available space along the fence: It was an audience that demonstrated that baseball has reached a status of enviable popularity. It was an audience also that could appreciate the fine points of the game, and applause was bestowed impartially, all the excellent plays of the visitors being greeted with the heartiest expressions of admiration.

The ball was put into play by the honorary president of the Amities, Mr. T. B. Hall, who neatly tossed the sphere to Franklin. It was soon manifest to all that Franklin had the nerve and steady confidence of a professional. He kept up tremendous speed for the entire game, and his great success can be gauged by considering that the champion Seattle nine only found him safely eight times, and only succeeded in earning one run. He was ably supported behind the bat by Huxtable, who caught magnificently, not having a passed ball and throwing to bases with accuracy and speed. Gus Gowen did great work in centre, making one particularly brilliant running catch, and covering a great amount of territory in fielding other balls during the game. The Amity in-field did not show up as well as expected, making costly errors at critical times, but there were the usual redeeming features. The Victoria boys batted with vim and ginger, and the supporters of the team will look for this same strong batting to win many a game during the season.

The Amities led from the start, and the excitement was keen, as the Seattle nine got down to work and attempted to put themselves on even terms. In the first half of the ninth the tie was even, six to six, and then the tug began. It seemed as if the game would stretch into a ten inning contest, but in the last half of the ninth Duck made a long drive to right centre for three bases, bringing in Partridge—and the game was Victoria's with two more men to bat.

King, the Seattle twirler, pitched a great game. His swift in-drop was troublesome to the local batters at the beginning, but afterwards they had no difficulty in lining his balls for singles galore. Morris' great catch in left field was a feature, and evoked much applause. The Seattle in-field was in great shape. The Amities have shown the public that they can play ball, and in winning from the recognized amateur champions of the Coast, they are deserving of no small praise.

Mr. Edward's umpiring gave satisfaction to both nines, and both Manager Russel and Captain Rope, of the Seattles, expressed themselves as perfectly satisfied with his judgment. The score follows:

AMITIES.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Partridge, 1b	4	2	2	12	4	1
Duck, l. f	5	0	3	0	0	0
Gowen, Gus c. f	4	1	2	3	0	0
Gowen, George, 3b	4	1	1	1	2	3
Schultz, r. f	4	0	2	0	0	0
Williams, s.s	4	1	2	2	1	2
Widdowson, 2b	4	0	0	1	2	2
Huxtable, c	4	1	1	6	3	0
Franklin, p	4	1	1	2	3	0
Totals		7	14	27	15	8

SEATTLE.

	AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E
Green, ss	5	1	1	0	0	0
McKinstry, 1b	5	1	0	8	2	2
Morris, l. f	5	0	0	2	0	0
Pope, 2b	4	2	1	5	3	0
Simmonds, c	5	0	1	5	1	3
Nelson, 3b	5	1	4	2	1	1
Turner, r. f	3	0	0	1	1	0
Noble, c. f	4	0	1	1	2	0
King, p	4	1	0	0	2	1
Gommitz, c. f	2	0	0	1	0	0
Total		6	8	*24	12	7

*One man out when winning run scored; and Williams out on in-field hit.

Score by Innings.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Seattle	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	1	1	=6
Victoria	1	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	1	=7

FIRST BLOOD FOR NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, May 11.—(Special)—In the baseball match opening the season, Nanaimo won from Vancouver by 14 to 9. The game, while ragged in spots, showed capability on the part of both teams for excellent work.

A WIN FOR JOHNSON STREET.

The Johnson street boys' baseball club yesterday defeated the Times newsboys on score of 24 to 7. William Harrison pitched a good game for the winners, and W. Kelly made a satisfactory umpire.

LACROSSE.

THE BAYS REORGANIZED.

To-morrow evening the James Bay lacrosse club will hold their first practise of the season at Beacon Hill. The club has already been organized, being now officered as follows: President, Dr. J. D. Helmcken; captain T. Wolfenden; secretary, B. Schwenger, and treasurer R. Schnoeter. The new committee is composed of E Greenfield, F. White, L. Whitelaw and C. Wilson.

VANCOUVER WINS.

VANCOUVER, May 11.—(Special)—The Vancouver lacrosse team won the first senior league game of the season at Vancouver to-day against Westminster's senior players. The crowd was the largest on record for an initial match of the series; the weather was perfect and the ground in splendid condition. The game was scientifically played and free from fouls or roughness of any kind. The attack of the visiting team was rather weak, while both teams had a strong defence. The Vancouver colts played remarkably clever combination lacrosse, and practically won the game. The Westminster team were out of condition. The following is the result by games:

Game.	*Won By.*	*Scored By.*	*Time.*
1	Vancouver	Campbell	30 min.
2	Vancouver	Ralph	30 "
3	Westminster	Ryal	6 "
4	Vancouver	Ralph	1 "
5	Vancouver	Ralph	5 "

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CHESS.

A MATCH BY WIRE.

At a general meeting of the chess club last evening a letter from Mr. W. Christie, manager of the C. P. R. Telegraph Co., was read, offering free telegraphic communication for an international match with the San Francisco chess club. The very generous offer was accepted and a committee appointed to communicate at once with the chess devotees of San Francisco. A committee was also appointed to draft rules for a sectional tournament to be started at an early date, the first prize to be a very handsome trophy presented to the club.

THE RIFLE.

A REAL RECORD BREAKER.

In practice at the Clover Point range yesterday afternoon Gunner A. Hunter, of the B.C.B.G.A., made a score which is not only the record for the range, but has probably never been surpassed in Canada. Firing with the Martini-Henry at 200, 500 and 600 yards, he met with this phenomenal success:

200.	500.	600.
5455455—33	5555554—34	5555455—34

The total for the three ranges was thus 101 out of a "possible" 105, which has never been approached closer than 103, and until three or four years ago 102 was the British record. Gunner Hunter has for several years been one of the crack shots of the Garrison Artillery, and he distinguished himself at Ottawa in 1893, when he won the Macdougall challenge cup against all comers. When he made his great score yesterday there were present, shooting with him, Sergeant Gibson, of the Royal Marine Artillery; Corporals McDougall, Goodwin and Lettice, and Gunners Bailey and Ross of his own corps, all of whom vouch for the correctness of the record.

CRICKET.

ROYAL MARINE ARTILLERY V. VICTORIA COLLEGE.

The match between the above teams yesterday proved most interesting though the result was a draw. The Barracks going first to bat succeeded in scoring 128 runs; Corporal Glover contributing a splendidly hit 60, Gunner Barraclough 29 and Captain Barnes 15. The R. M. A. declared their innings closed with 73 wickets to the good, and the College were sent to bat shortly before 5 o'clock, stumps to be drawn at 6 The McLeod brothers held the bowling for some time, scoring 26 runs between them, G. Wilson adding another 12, bringing the total up to 46 for 4 wickets, when stumps were drawn.

MR. FOULKES' XI VS. MR. SCHWENGER'S XI.

A very enjoyable game was played yesterday afternoon on the Albion grounds, between the above teams, resulting in a victory for Mr. Schwenger's eleven by 11 runs. Mr. R. H. Swinerton did remarkably well with the ball, capturing six wickets at a very small cost. Messrs. A. G. Smith, Heath and Wallis batted in their usual free style. The score was 72 to 61.

HERE AND THERE.

The complete score of Friday's skittle match at Esquimalt, in which James Porter of the dockyard again specially distinguished himself, is unfortunately crowded out of to-day's issue.

Members of the Victoria Wheelmen's club who desire to participate in a morning ramble will meet at the New England hotel to-day at 9 o'clock. The destination and pace will be agreed upon at starting. Very important business is to come before Tuesday evening's meeting—the first meeting to be held in the new club rooms.

The Cowichan and Kuper Indians will send six racing canoes to participate in the regatta events here.

The cricket match at Esquimalt yesterday between the Nymphe and the Dockyard resulted in a draw. The Nymphe won the first innings by two runs.

The fishing at the head of Cowichan river is now excellent.

A cricket club composed of members of the B.C.B.G.A. is in course of formation, and yesterday a first practice was held. There will be a meeting for organization on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the drill hall.

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I notice that one of the most select, high priced and swell dry goods houses in New York city advertises ladies' bloomers, knickerbockers, tights, sweaters and bicycle suits for sale at "advantageous prices." It also informs the new woman that she can find in the same establishment costumes specially adapted for all athletic purposes. When one of the most fashionable dry goods stores in New York city advertises ladies' bloomers and knickerbockers for sale, faith! the new woman is here. And she rode into liberty on a bicycle. I have tried many forms of outdoor exercise and recreation, and I find the most exhilarating of all to be bicycle riding. Even swimming, my fad for years, is hardly equal to it. Dr. W. C. Latimer, a Brooklyn physician, read a paper before the New York State Homeopathic society on the "Bicycle In Its Relation to Diseases of Women." He found patients coming to him and asking him whether it was healthful for women to learn bicycle riding. He made a careful investigation, and the result is an unqualified verdict for the cycle. He mentions bloodlessness or anæmia and dyspepsia as two of the ailments in which this exercise proved a blessing, though he confesses it would be equally a curse if the exercise were overdone. He recommends women at once to abandon the skirt and the heavy drop frame wheel, as too great a tax to be borne. To get the best results, a woman rider should go into knickerbockers or bloomers and ride the full diamond frame wheel, such as men use. The newest wheels for women, however, are a sort of compromise between the diamond frame wheel and the abominable old bent gas pipe concern which some of the cycle companies still persist in foisting upon the public as the best and the lightest wheel that can be made for women. A woman's wheel should in no case weigh an ounce over 24 pounds. Some of the best and newest ones weigh less than that. Finally, the doctor says: "We have yet to see the woman who, once having donned the bloomer and ridden a full diamond wheel, ever returned to the skirt and drop frame." The skirt acts as a funnel, conveying dangerous currents of air over the woman's body.

Never say that women are one another's enemies or that you like men better than you do women, or you will show yourself old fashioned and years behind the times.

The new woman loves all mankind; but, best of all, she loves her own sex.

Some of the best and most convincing documents I have ever read on the woman question are those issued by the New York State Woman Suffrage association. The association has prepared a masterly history of the recent suffrage amendment campaign in New York which will be a help wherever women are struggling to gain liberty and justice. All the arguments that could be made for freedom for the human race are condensed in that able report. The state committee have placed the report on sale in pamphlet form, 25 cents the single copy, five copies for $1. The association's corresponding secretary, Mrs. Isabel Howland of Sherwood, N. Y., has charge of the matter. The proceeds of sales will be devoted to paying for printing documents and otherwise furthering the work in New York. As to the women who are doing the work, they do it without pay and find themselves. No women were ever more unselfishly devoted to a principle than they are.

It was a most pleasant scene when, at a meeting at the residence of Mrs. Esther Herrmann, in New York city, of friends of Lillie Devereux Blake, that distinguished lady received a pretty little purse, yellow, the color of light, and the woman suffrage color, containing $600. Her friends had contributed the money as a little surprise to her, and it will go to help pay for a cottage home in Florida which she hopes to have.

Miss Mary Proctor, daughter of the astronomer, is lecturing very successfully in the field occupied by her great father. One of her lectures is called "Giant Sun and His Children." Another she gives is her father's lecture on "Other Worlds Than Ours." Miss Proctor is a bright, gentle little lady and wins all hearts wherever she goes. Her head is full of knowledge all the same, and she is an enthusiast on her subject.

Miss Mary V. Steele of Somerville, N. Y., is the first woman to be elected commissioner of deeds in that state.

STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, May 11.—The following are the closing prices on the New York stock exchange:

American Cotton Oil	29⅜
American Sugar	116¼
" (preferred)	99⅜
American Tobacco	105⅞
Atchison & Santa Fe	9⅜
Burlington & Quincy	79¼
Chicago, Cincinnati, Columbus & St. Louis	44½
Chicago Gas	75¼
Chesapeake and Ohio	23⅜
Consolidated Gas	143
New York Central	101
Canada Southern	54½
Delaware & Hudson	130⅞
Erie	14½
General Electric	33⅞
Jersey Central	100
Kansas & Texas	18⅜
Louisville & Nashville	60⅜
Lake Shore	146¾
Mich'gan Central	101
Missouri Pacific	29½
North American Company	6⅜
New York & New England	43½
Northern Pacific	7⅜
Northern Pacific (preferred)	25¼
North Western	98⅜
Pacific Mail	27½
Reading	20⅞
Rock Island	70
St. Paul	68
St. Paul (preferred)	120½
Texas Pacific	12⅜
Union Pacific	17½
Western Union	93⅜

Dandruff forms when the glands of the skin are weakened, and if neglected, baldness is sure to follow. Hall's Hair Renewer is the best preventive.

LOVE'S CHAINS.

MARIAN FROELICH. G. FROELICH.

Ros-es glow-ing, Breez-es blow-ing, List-en to my heart's com-

plain-ing; Cu-pid found me, And he bound me, Love-ly cap-tive I

to his en-chain-ing. Help, dear ro-ses.

Help me, ah,..... ah,..... ah,..... ah! How loose from

cu-pid, pray. Do not de-lay, Or

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lure..... my love this way, Yes, my love lure this way.

Ro-ses glow-ing, Bree-zes blow-ing,

List-en to my heart's.... glad sing-ing; Cu-pid found him, And he

bound him To..... my heart in love's sweet chains;

Love's sweet chains, Love's sweet chains.

Love's Chains.—2.

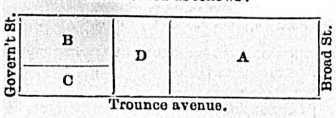
TENDERS.

Valuable Real Estate

Tenders are invited for the purchase of either the whole, or one or more, of the undermentioned Subdivisions of the following property, fronting on Government street, Trounce avenue and Broad street, viz.:

LOTS 166 and 166A, BLOCK 13, VICTORIA CITY

Subdivided as follows:



A.—The Green Block, Lot 166A, yielding at the present time $220.00 per month rental, with one office vacant, which was recently occupied by Messrs. Wells, Fargo & Co. at the monthly rental of $25.00.

B.—Part of Lot 166, occupied by and under lease to Messrs. W. & J. Wilson, having a frontage of about 34 feet and a depth of about 80 feet.

C.—Part of Lot 166, corner of Government street and Trounce avenue, occupied by the Trustees of the Estate of Green, Worlock & Co. and Capt. J. D. Warren.

D.—Part of Lot 166, with a frontage of about 38 feet on Trounce avenue and a depth of about 56 feet.

One half of Trounce avenue belongs to the whole of this property.

Tenders will be received up to 6 p.m. on Thursday, the 6th June, 1895.

Further information can be obtained from the Trustees.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ROBERT BEAVEN, }
J. STUART YATES, }
Trustees of the Estate of Green, Worlock & Co.

Victoria, 7th May, 1895. my8-1m

VICTORIA WATER WORKS.

Tenders for Cofferdam.

Sealed tenders, endorsed "Tenders for Cofferdam," will be received up to 4 o'clock on the afternoon of Wednesday, the 15th inst., at the office of the undersigned, where plans and specifications may be seen, for the construction of a Cofferdam at Beaver Lake.

A certified cheque for ten per cent. of the amount must accompany each tender.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.

Water Commissioner's Office,
8th May, 1895. my9

NOTICE.

Tenders properly sealed and endorsed "Tenders for Sidewalk, Yates Street," will be received at the office of the undersigned until Monday next, the 13th inst., at 4 p.m., for the raising of the sidewalk on the South side of Yates street between Government and Langley streets.

Plan and specification may be seen at the office of the City Engineer.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's office,
Victoria, B.C., May 7th, 1895. my8

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Court House, Nanaimo," will be received by the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of Friday, May 31st next, for the works and materials required in the erection of a new Court House at Nanaimo.

Plans and specifications can be seen, and complete quantities describing the whole work can be obtained upon payment of five dollars ($5.00) at the Government Office, Nanaimo, or at the office of the undersigned.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque equal to five per cent. on the amount of the contractor's tender, which will be retained as part security for the due performance of the work. The cheque will be returned to unsuccessful competitors, but will be forfeited by any bidder who may decline to execute a contract if called upon to do so.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 6th May, 1895. m7-2t

IMPORTANT SALE

BY ORDER OF MORTGAGEES.

Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain indenture of mortgage dated the 27th day of December, 1893,

TENDERS

will be received up to noon of

Tuesday, the 21st day of May Next

For the purchase of the Plant and Stock of Machinery, etc., of the Westminster Foundry and Machine Works Company. The property now offered for sale comprises amongst other valuable pieces of machinery, one large boiler and engine, three fine lathes, upright drill, large planer, bolt cutter, shaping machine, cupola furnace, several engines, brass furnaces, tumbler for casting, and also a large assortment of tools and implements of every sort and description too numerous to mention in detail.

For terms and further particulars apply to

H. F. CLINTON,
Solicitor for Mortgagees,
No. 601 Columbia Street,
ap26 New Westminster, B.C.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon of Thursday, the 16th day of May, instant, for the purchase of lot number twenty two (22) of acre lots 34, 36 and 38 Springfield Estate, being part of Section XXXI., Esquimalt District, with the one and one half story frame dwelling house and other improvements thereon.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Dated Victoria, 1st May, 1895.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Bastion Street, Victoria, B.C.,
my2-td Solicitors for the Mortgagee.

WHITE RAGS WANTED.

Three cents per pound will be paid for White Rags at this office.

STEAMERS AND SHIPS

PACIFIC COAST S. S. CO.

DESPATCH A STEAMER EVERY FIVE days for San Francisco, carrying Her Majesty's mails, from Outer Wharf at 8 p.m.

Umatilla - - - May 13

R. P. RITHET & CO.
Agents.
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C.P. Navigation Co., Limited.

TIME TABLE NO. 26

Takes effect March 1, 1895.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock a.m.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 13.15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.

For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 13.15 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports, via Vancouver, the 1st and 15th of each month at 8 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer, will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 1st and 15th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.
Victoria, Jan. 1st, 1895.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

STEAMER

JOAN

L. P. LOCKE, MASTER.

Sails as follows, calling at way ports as freight and passengers may offer:

Leave Victoria, Tuesday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Comox, Wednesday, 7 a.m.
" Comox for Nanaimo, Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m.

WEST COAST.

STEAMER

THISTLE

W. LANGLEY, MASTER.

Steamer Thistle leaves E. & N. Wharf, Victoria, for Alberni and West Coast Points every Wednesday at 8 p.m., as freight and passengers may offer.

For freight or staterooms apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria station, 8 ore street. ap25

VICTORIA WATER WORKS.

The attention of the public generally, and PLUMBERS IN PARTICULAR is called to Section 16 of the "Corporation of Victoria Water Works Act, 1873," which reads as follows: "If any person or persons shall lay or cause to be laid any pipe or main to communicate with any pipe or main of the said water works, or in any way obtain or use any water thereof without the consent of the Commissioner, he or they shall forfeit or pay to the said Commissioner, for water works purposes, the sum of FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS, and also a further sum of five dollars for each day such pipe or main shall so remain, which said sum, together with the costs of suit in that behalf, may be recovered by civil action in any court of law in the Province of British Columbia having civil jurisdiction to that amount.

The provisions of the above Section will for the future be strictly carried out.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.

City Hall, 11th March, 1895. mr12

BRIDGE CLOSED.

Notice is hereby given that Rock Bay Bridge will be closed for repairs until further notice.

By order,
E. A. WILMOT,
my2-tf City Engineer.

$50 REWARD.

The above-mentioned reward is hereby offered for such information as will lead to the conviction of any person or persons breaking the glass of the window of any unoccupied house or other building in the City of Victoria; or damaging in any way any portion thereof, or of the premises appertaining thereto; or removing therefrom any article belonging to the said premises; or defacing or injuring or destroying any street sign or other property belonging to the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

Victoria, March 20, 1895. mr21

A CARD.

Having disposed of my Book-Binding, Blank Book Manufacturing and Paper Ruling Business to The Colonist Printing & Publishing Co. I take this opportunity of thanking the public for the liberal patronage bestowed upon me for the many years I have been in business, and to bespeak for my successors a like share of support.

R. T. WILLIAMS.

Victoria, May 3rd, 1895.

In connection with the above we beg to assure the public that we hope by close attention to the business and a just treatment of all, to merit a continuance of the favors shown Mr. Williams during the long period he has been in business.

THE COLONIST PRINTING & PUBLISHING CO., LD.

GEO. A. SARGISON

NOTARY PUBLIC,

Accountant & Agent,

48 LANGLEY ST.

MATERNITY (ate Samaritan) Home, removed to larger premises, at 199 Johnson street. Applicants please apply at the Home, or to Mrs. Higgins, Cadboro Bay Road, or to Mrs. Flumerfelt, Gorge Road. fe10

A SONG OF FATHERLAND.

I've wandered east, I've wandered west,
 In gypsy wise a random roamer.
Of men and maids I've known the best,
 Like the far traveled king in Homer.

But, oh, for the land that bore me!
 Oh, for the stout old land
Of breezy Ben and winding glen
 And roaring flood and sounding strand.

I've stood where stands in pillared pride
 The shrine of Jove's spear shaking daughter,
And humbled Persia stained the tide
 Of free Greek seas with heaps of slaughter.

I've stood upon the rocky crest
 Where Jove's proud eagle spreads his pinion,
Where looked the god far east, far west,
 And all he saw was Rome's dominion.

I've seen the domes of Moscow far,
 In green and golden glory gleaming,
And stood where sleeps the mighty czar,
 By Neva's flood so grandly streaming.

I've stood on many a famous spot
 Where blood of heroes flowed like rivers,
Where Deutschland rose at Gravelotte,
 And dashed the strength of Gaul to shivers.

I've fed my eyes by land and sea,
 With sights of grandeur streaming o'er me
But still my heart remains with thee,
 Dear Scottish land, that stoutly bore me.

Oh, for the land that bore me!
 Oh, for the stout old land,
With mighty Ben and winding glen,
 Stout Scottish land, my own dear land!
 —John Stuart Blackie.

A DUOLOGUE.

This is not a "problem story."

Neither does it discuss the advantages or disadvantages of having "new women" in our midst.

It is a true tale.

And it concerns a good man and a bad woman.

They would never have met if the London county council had come into existence a few years earlier than it did, because he saw her at the Empire. The exact date was Aug. 25, and it was a very hot night.

The curtain had fallen on the last scene of the ballet. The man rose from his seat and walked across the promenade toward the bar.

He passed several women, but he did not pass her. He had no intention of stopping, still less of speaking.

Yet, when he saw her, he stopped, and when she stopped he spoke.

I do not remember what he said.

They sat down together at a little table. A waiter brought them a cup of black coffee and a whisky and soda. He drank the coffee.

They talked, but again I cannot remember what they said.

A man on the stage sang a comic song. A woman on the promenade fainted and was carried away.

Then she said, "Well, are you coming?"

"No," he replied. "I don't know why I stopped or why I spoke to you. I am not 'one of the crowd' here. I am not a performer in the 'Comedy of Life.' I am only an onlooker."

She stared at him. "Then why"—

"I have told you I do not know. Perhaps I thought you looked out of place—here."

"I have been here every evening for 12 months. I ought not to look 'out of place.' "

"Why did you come?"

"Do you expect me to answer that question in this building, surrounded by these people?"

"I am sorry. Of course not. It would resemble a performance by 'The Independent Theater society,' I suppose?"

"I had better go, then, if you do not"—

"No; stay and talk. Are you happy?"

"Hardly."

"Are you miserable?"

"I am not sure."

"Did you ever love anything?"

"Yes."

"What?"

"Life—the trees and fields; the wild moorlands; the sea; the birds that sing in the hedgerows; the cattle in the fields; the horses and dogs at the farms. Yes, I loved life. I loved to feel the wind blowing in my face; I loved to smell the scent of the heather; I loved to hear the song of the mountain streams. Ha, ha! I'm almost poetic! I'm"—

"Go on."

"That is all. Did you ever love anything?"

"Yes."

"Who?"

"No one—I mean only a dog."

"Oh!"

"But he is dead."

"Of course."

"Why 'of course?' "

"Because you loved him."

The man lit a cigarette. "Do you believe in heaven?"

"No; if I did, I should have been dead long ago. I am afraid to die because I don't know what comes after death. I so long for—for peace—for something else—something beautiful—something to love. Do not laugh."

"You are not a bad woman."

"Yes, I am."

"Then you ought not to have been one."

"True. That is the cruel part of it."

They watched the men and women promenading before them. Then the woman said, "It is a strange world."

The man did not answer. He was thinking. She continued: "You are a strange person. Where do you live? What do you do? How do you amuse yourself?"

"Oh, I live alone, quite alone, now my dog is dead. I watch people. I listen to what they say, and—I think."

"What do you think?"

"I think that when he—whoever 'he' is—created men and women he ought to have made them altogether gods or altogether animals. No one in the world is happy, because no one is ever certain whether he—or she—should live for the 'real' or for the 'ideal.' And therefore men decided to seek for both, to be sometimes good and sometimes bad, to play at being gods once a week and beasts twice a week—in fact, to live for the 'real' 6½ days out of the 7. And some of us, you know, cannot, as the saying goes, 'do things by halves.' We must be wholly one thing or the other. There is only the 'good' or 'bad.' There is no 'mediocre' for some of us. So we leave the choice to fate, and when fate has chosen for us the world rises and either crowns us with the laurel wreath or paints us with colors from the devil's palate. The world is so blind it cannot see that really we had no choice in the matter. I think sometimes fate makes a mistake. She grows weary sometimes and gives the 'good' where she ought to have given the 'bad.' "

"She made a mistake when she chose for me. Say she made a mistake—please."

"She made a mistake. I knew it the moment I saw your face. You were intended to show men the path to heaven."

"And I have only shown them the road to"—

"Hush. Come with me. Come home with me and rest. I live alone. I have never done any good in the world. I have never loved any one or helped any one. I am 'a good man.' It is not my fault. I was meant for 'a bad.' But as fate made a mistake you can trust me I will try to help you. I will try to make life beautiful for you. I will take you where the sea murmurs among the rocks, where the wind blows the scent of heather across the great wild moors. Come with me"—

The woman rose and gazed at the man with large, dreamy eyes. "What do you mean?"

"I am going to make life beautiful and peaceful and pure—for you."

"Leave off dreaming," she whispered sharply. "Awake! Do you know where you are? Do you see the sort of people who surround us? This is no place for dreams! It is time to go—good night. See here—you have spoken strangely to me—you cannot understand what it means for a woman—like me—to hear a man—like you—speak as you have spoken. My God! Why didn't I meet you before?"

He laughed. "Because fate made a mistake."

"Listen! You are a good man. Perhaps you won't be one always—never mind the music—listen! When I'm dead, tell the world what you have told me. Yes, I know—it's nothing. That may be so, but tell them what happened tonight and what I said. You are a good man, and you will do some good in the world, because good men are rare. Do as I've said, and you'll help us women. Goodby. You don't know what you've done for me tonight, what I feel —goodby! When I'm dead—don't forget. Oh, I am a fool to"—

The orchestra was playing "God Save the Queen," and the woman disappeared into the crowd. The man watched the electric lights go out. He lit a cigarette. Then some one told him it was time to leave the building. He ran out quickly into the street and searched for her, but she could not be found.

And all this happened some time ago, as I have said, and it is all quite true.

And the man has not forgotten his promise.—Pall Mall Budget.

DRINKING STRENGTH

Baby's Good Fortune When Fed on Lactated Food.

A Montreal lady said to the writer recently :—

"Every meal that my baby takes, she drinks strength and good health, because I use the health-giving Lactated Food."

Thousands of mothers in Canada can make similar statements regarding the nutritious, strengthening and building up virtues of Lactated Food. Physicians everywhere recommend it daily.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, B.C.,
Victoria, May 7th, 1895.

THE following summary of certificates granted by F. S. Roper, Inspector, is published in pursuance of the provisions of the "Contagious Diseases (Animals) Amendment Act, 1895."

J. R. ANDERSON,
Deputy Minister of Agriculture.

I have given clean bills of health to the following ranchers during the month of April:—

James Potts, McCauley Point;
James Dounigan, McCauley Point;
Thos. D. Sedger, do.
R. Wilkinson, Strawberry Vale;
Jas. Holden, Cadboro Bay;
Jas. Richards, Victoria;
A. G. Tait, Oak Bay Avenue;
Jas. Tait, Cadboro Bay;
W. J. Clark, Richmond Road;
Messrs. Bragg & McKay;
Joseph Finnerty, Richmond Road;
A. Casanave, Willows;
John Sinclair, Cadboro Bay;
Benj. Evans, do.
R. W. Holmes, Richmond Road;
Goodman Samuelson Cedar Hill;
Deans Bros., Richmond Road;
John Sluggot, South Saanich Road;
S. McCulley Smith, Victoria West;
Louis Colgdarippe, Gordon Head;
Joseph Bull, East Saanich Road;
H. T. Ford, Cedar Hill Road;
R. E. Knowles, Moss Street, Victoria;
Geo. McRae, Cedar Hill Road.

Those of the above-mentioned ranchers who supply the City with milk keep their dairy premises clean and tidy, and exercise care in straining the milk and rendering it fit for market.

F. S. ROPER,
Inspector.

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The Victoria Colonist, May 12th., 1895.

SUPERB PAPER PATTERN COUPON 10c

Send this Coupon and 10 Cents, Silver or Stamps, for Pattern—Mailed Free.

Name____
Street____
Town____
No. of Pattern____ Size of Bust____ Age if a Child____ 48

'4288.—Ladies' Gayety Cape.

This is a double cape. The lower one of cream white or light-colored cloth, and the upper one of black velvet. It is composed of a short cape with a deep "ripple" piece added. Passementerie or other trimming may be put upon the lower cape The fronts cross each other and fasten under the arms. 1 yard of 54-inch material for the cape and 3-4 for the ripple piece will be sufficient. Pattern is in small, medium, and large sizes. Explicit directions in English and German and accurate front and back illustrations on the pattern. All seams, hems, or laps allowed for. Regular price, 25c.

Fill out the accompanying **COUPON** and get **THIS PATTERN FOR 10 CENTS.**

115.—Girls' Dress.

Here is a very pretty costume for a girl from 6 to 12 years old. It is especially suitable for light summer fabrics, but can be made of heavier goods if desired. The trimming may be of velvet or other contrasting material. It consists of a high-necked tight-fitting waist, to which is added a shirred low-necked outer waist; the sleeves are tight-fitting, with puffs added on to them; the skirt is plain and full, but can be trimmed if desired. Quantity of 27-inch material required, 5 yards; 1-4 yard of contrasting material for bretelles; 1 3-4 yards of flat trimming, put on as illustrated; 3 yards extra for rosettes. This pattern furnished in sizes from 6 to 12 years. Explicit directions in English and German and accurate front and back illustrations on the pattern. All seams, hems, or laps allowed for. Regular price, 25c.

Fill out the accompanying **COUPON** and get **THIS PATTERN FOR 10 CENTS.**

5569.—Ladies' Waist.

6300.—Ladies' Circular Skirt.

The waist illustrated is especially adapted for summer materials. It is also effective in changeable silk trimmed with accordion-pleated mousseline de soie and black moire ribbon. Requires 3 1-4 yards of 27-inch material and 1 yard for shirred cape. Pattern all sizes from 32 to 42 inch bust measure. Retail price, 20c.

This skirt is made in one piece, the seam being in the centre of the back; it is fitted to the figure, and the fulness at the top is gathered in at the back. Requires 5 yards of 54-inch material. It can be had in medium and large sizes. Explicit directions in English and German and accurate front and back illustrations on the pattern. All seams, hems, or laps allowed for. Retail price, 30c The costume shown requires two distinct patterns to produce it.

Fill out the accompanying **COUPON** and get **these patterns for 10 cents each.**

5566.—Ladies' Summer Waist.

2042.—Misses' Summer Waist.

This represents a neat summer waist to be made of surah silk or wash material, as desired.

This design is loose and arranged upon a tight-fitting lining; at the neck the fulness is shirred, but at the waistline it is simply caught in to the figure, with the belt. In the centre of the front it is laid in a box-plait, and it has a high turn-down collar.

Quantity of 27-inch material required, 3 1-2 yards. Patterns for Ladies from 32 to 42 inches bust measure; for Misses 8 to 16 years. Explicit directions in English and German and accurate front and back illustrations on the pattern. All seams, hems, or laps allowed for. Regular price, 20c.

Fill out the accompanying **COUPON** and get **this pattern for 10 cents.**

7945.—Ladies' House Dress.

Here is a charming summer costume designed to be made up in light dainty material so much in vogue now with lace bretelles.

The back is tight-fitting, and the loose front has a tight-fitting under lining

The front is shirred to the yoke, and is bound in to the waist by a velvet ribbon girdle with bow and ends. It is very stylish, and is becoming to almost any figure.

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1 a. m..	41°	Mean 53°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	40°		
9 a. m..	61°	Highest 69°	5 a.m.—4 N.W.
1 p. m..	69		1 p.m.—6 N.
5 p. m..	58°	Lowest 33°	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	50.		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Fair.
Sunshine—11 hr. 48 min.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer ROSALIE from the Sound—M Hoffman, M Cowley, Mrs Davis, Miss Clark, Mrs Jones, Mrs McCulloch, A Hailstone, E Hailstone, Chas Borgstadt, J G Ellison, John Hay, F C Williams and Mrs Fitzgerald.

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DIED.

MCKINNON—At the Lighthouse, Victoria Harbor, on the 11th inst., Alexander McKinnon, a native of Greenock, Scotland, aged 58 years and 5 months.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday, the 14th inst., from the Oddfellows' Hall, Douglas street, at 2.30 o'clock, and a few minutes later at St. John's church. Friends are invited to attend.

PERSONAL.

G. A Huff, of Alberni, is in town.

E. C. Davies, Toronto, is at the Oriental.

F. C. Gamble and Geo. E. Powell were passengers from the Mainland last evening.

R. E. W. Spaigin, wife and daughter, Umatilla, Oregon, are at the Hotel Victoria.

A. W. Beale, Nanaimo, and W. Flanders, Tacoma, are among the guests at the New England.

Miss Eva Clarke has so far recovered from her recent severe illness as to be able to be out again.

A. B. Shaw, of the C. C. & St. L. railway, Cincinnati, is, with Mrs. Shaw, staying at the New England.

S. Hoffman, San Francisco; E. A. Strauss, London; G. B. Dunbar and Mrs. Dunbar, and James Dawlen, St. Joseph, Mo., are among the arrivals at the Driard.

Matthew Hutchison, superintendent of the Langley street electric station, has been elected an honorary member of the B. C. Marine Engineers' Association.

J. G. Ritchie, manager of "Alabama," a Southern comedy-drama, was in the city yesterday, arranging for the appearance of his company on the 21st and 22nd instant.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

Accident on a Tug Boat—Another Rock Discovered—Docked at Esquimalt.

Tug Hope arrived yesterday from the Sayward mill Northern logging camps with a big boom. On her way down, W. Tyson, one of her crew, met with an accident which may cause him lameness for many weeks. While he was making an extra turn of the tow line his leg in some way got caught in it and was badly squeezed, though the bone is not broken. The Hope left for another boom of logs last evening.

GRAZES A ROCK.

A second accident befell the Joan while en route to Victoria yesterday. Shortly after leaving Nanaimo she grazed a submerged rock believed to be one of the same reef she struck about a month ago in a different place. Her stern only having touched the rock she is not supposed to be injured, though in consequence of the accident she will be placed on the Esquimalt marine ways to-day for examination, and, if need be, repair. No water was taken in after the mishap, and the vessel was not delayed, she having arrived here early in the afternoon. It was at very low tide or the mishap would not have occurred.

MARINE NOTES.

The trim little steamer Fingal, which has been building on False creek, was successfully launched last evening.

The ship Hawaiian Isles is docked at Esquimalt for cleaning and painting.

Tug Wanderer, of Port Townsend, came in from the Straits last evening.

R.M.S. Empress of India left Yokohama for Victoria yesterday afternoon.

N. P. R. steamship Sikh arrived at Yokohama on Friday.

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METHODIST CONFERENCE.

Temperance Committee Want the Curfew Bell and a Plebiscite on Prohibition.

Theological Union Meeting in the Afternoon and Question Drawer in the Evening.

The little trouble that arose over the resolution discountenancing canvassing for elections in the Methodist conference was finally quelled yesterday, and the air is clear again. Yesterday morning, when the session opened, the President announced that Rev. T. W. Hall, who was in the chair when the first resolution was put, had since come to the conclusion that the resolution was out of order. That being the case, and the foundation thus being swept away, the whole after proceedings should be eliminated, and he hoped the conference would agree to this.

Rev. R. R. Maitland introduced a resolution to rescind the resolutions already carried and to eliminate them from the minutes, and this was carried without discussion.

The Epworth League committee report was read by Rev. S. J. Thompson. It recommended that Mr. F. W. Davey, of Victoria, be chosen as representative of the Epworth League and Sunday school board to the General Conference. The report also directed attention to the General Conference decision that Epworth Leagues could affiliate but not amalgamate with other young people's societies. The report was adopted.

Rev. Professor Coulter, of the New Brunswick conference, at present teaching at the Columbian Methodist college, Westminster, was introduced to the conference and made a short address, partly touching on the work he is doing at the college.

Rev. Mr. Baer wanted to know whether it was advisable for a committee to be appointed to draw up a resolution on the Manitoba school question.

"No politics" called out one member.

The President thought it would not be well to raise the question, and the matter was dropped.

A communication was received from the Central Methodist church of Westminster asking that inasmuch as the mortgagees were pressing for interest and capital and the Sapperton property failed to provide its share, that the consent of the conference be given to the sale of a part of the Sapperton property or so much of it as would satisfy the debt. This was referred to the church property committee.

The temperance committee's report was read by Rev. R. B. Beavis, and set forth that prohibition only was the effectual remedy against the evils of intemperance; that the present Sunday laws were violated, and that Indians were supplied with liquor up the coast. A recommendation was offered that efforts should be made to get a plebiscite on the prohibition question; also that the curfew law "now in successful operation in the East" be enacted here.

Rev. E. Robson was of opinion that to ask for a plebiscite except on the occasion of a general election was to involve the country in too much expense. It would cost at least $20,000 to have one in British Columbia, and he did not think the legislature would be inclined to go to such an expense.

Rev. Mr. Green did not want the plebiscite mixed up with a general election and party questions. The only way to get a fair trial was to have the plebiscite alone or at the time of municipal elections.

Rev. Mr. Thompson, seconded by Rev. E. Robson, moved to eliminate the prohibition clause as not definite enough.

Rev. J. A. Wood wanted the clause retained. Even if the government would not grant it this year the conference ought to ask till it was given.

At this point the debate was adjourned and the conference rose.

The afternoon was devoted to the meeting of the theological union of the annual conference, Rev. James Turner lecturing upon "The history of Methodist missionary work in the interior of our province." The lecture touched upon the formation of the various mission districts of the interior and gave incidents of missionary life and experiences that added to the interest of the subject.

A question drawer on the "Administration of discipline" was held in the evening in charge of the President of the conference and the Rev. J. Hall.

Revs. C. Bryant, C. M. Tait, D. D. Burk, J. D. P. Knox; Messrs. J. H. Woodside and C. Lindmark have been appointed the Sabbath Observance committee by the conference.

ALMOST the entire crew of the bark Sonoma, loading coal at Nanaimo for Alaska, deserted on Friday night. The rest of the coal fleet had taken the precaution to place watchmen in their vessels. This the captain of the Sonoma refused to do with the above result. Not only were the men spirited away, but so carefully have they been guarded that no trace of them can be found. Union men are supposed to be responsible. It would seem to be impossible for the ship to go to sea without a union crew as no other men are presently available.

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Especially interesting services will be held to-day in the majority of Victoria's churches, the presence in the city of the clerical delegates to the British Columbia Methodist conference, now in session here, enabling many of the congregations to listen to sermons by one or more distinguished visitors. The arrangements for pulpit supply were somewhat altered yesterday and now are as below:

Metropolitan church—9:30 a.m., the conference love feast, to be led by Rev. C. Ladner; 11 a.m., ordination sermon by the ex-president, Rev. T. W. Hall, followed by the ordination of the two probationers, Rev. J. P. D. Knox and Rev. D. D. Birks; 2:30 p.m., open session of the Sunday school, to be addressed by Rev. J. Robson, B A., and Rev. S. S. Osterhout; 7 p.m., usual evening service with sermon by Rev. James Woodsworth, superintendent of missions, followed by the administration of the sacrament of the Lord's Supper under the direction of the president of the conference, Rev. Solomon Cleaver. Provincial W.M.S. mass meeting at 4 o'clock, addressed by Rev. James Woodsworth.

Centennial church—11 a.m., services conducted by Rev. C. A. Procunier; 2:30 p.m., Sunday school, addresses by Rev. S. Wilkinson and Rev. William Hicks; 7 p.m., sermon by Rev. J. H. White, of the Columbian Methodist college at New Westminster.

Victoria West church—11 a.m., services as usual with sermon by Rev. G. H. Raley; 2:30 p.m., Sunday school, with special addresses by Rev. A. N. Miller; and 7 p.m., Rev. George H. Morden.

James Bay church—Anniversary services of the Sunday school, the 11 o'clock service being conducted by Rev. E. E. Hardwick; the 2:30 mass meeting of the school will be addressed by Rev. S. J. Thompson and Rev. C. H. M. Sutherland, and the evening sermon will be preached by Rev. J. F. Betts.

Indian Mission church—Morning sermon by Rev. J. C. Spencer; 3 p.m., service by Rev. Ebenezer Robson; evening, sermon by Chief Billy.

Chinese Mission church—Services at 11 a.m. conducted by Rev. Liu Yick Pang; 7 p.m., Rev. Chan Sing Kai.

Spring Ridge Sunday school—Sunday school at 2:45, to be addressed by Rev. R. B. Beavis and Rev. D. D. Birks.

Esquimalt Methodist church—Services at 11 a. m., conducted by Rev. W. J. Stone.

Y. M. C. A.—Afternoon mass meeting at at 4 o'clock, to be addressed by Rev. F. W. Hall and Rev. W. L. Hall.

Saanich Methodist church—Services at 11 a.m., 2:30 p.m., and 7 p.m., conducted by Rev. R. J. Irwin and Rev. J. W. Winslow.

First Presbyterian church—Morning sermon by Rev. S. J. Thompson; Sunday school at the usual hour; evening sermon by Rev. W. W. Baer.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church—Rev. J.P. Hicks, of Westminster, will occupy the pulpit at morning service and Rev. Prof. Orr, D.D., of the W. P. college, Edinburgh, will preach in the evening. The Sunday school and pastor's Bible class will be held as usual at 2:30 o'clock.

St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Victoria West—The morning sermon will be by Rev. James Calvert and that of the evening by Rev. E. Robson. Other arrangements as usual.

Central Presbyterian church, James Bay—Services at 11 a.m., conducted by Rev. A. E Green; evening sermon by Rev. C. H. M. Sutherland.

Emmanuel Baptist church, Spring Ridge—Morning sermon by Rev. J. H. White; evening services conducted by Rev. C. Ladner.

In Christ Church Cathedral there will be Holy Communion at 8 a.m.; matins, litany and sermon at 11; a children's service at 3; and evensong and sermon at 7. On the conclusion of the evensong service, a recital will be given by the organist, Mr. George Pauline, the programme being as below:

Grand Offertoire in C Minor.....Batiste
"Jerusalem the Golden".....Boo'h
Concert Fantasia.....Leopold de Pruis

St. James' church—Morning prayer and litany at 11 a.m. The sermon will be preached by Rev. J. B. Haslam, rector of St. Barnabas' church. Evensong and sermon at 7 p.m. Preacher, the Rev. Canon Paddon. Strangers always welcome.

In the other Anglican churches—St. John's church, St. Barnabas, St. Lukes, St. Paul's and the Church of the Holy Saviour—there are no special announcements for the day. At the Church of Our Lord, Reformed Episcopal, Humboldt street, Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge preaches in the morning, and Rev. G. C. King at the evening service. The monthly children's service will be conducted in the church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Mr. King.

In the Calvary Baptist church the services for the day will be conducted by the new pastor, Rev. Ralph W. Trotter, who has announced his morning sermon as "The Kind of Men God Uses." The evening theme will be "Pardon." Large congregations will undoubtedly attend all the services.

In the evening the Theosophical society will meet at the usual place and hour to listen to an address on "Concentration."

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STILL NO TIDINGS

Of the Overdue Missionary Steamer—The "Maude" Leaves to Search for Her.

Various Opinions Offered as to the Fate of the "Glad Tidings"—Capt. Roberts' Views.

Still another day has passed without bringing any news of the missing missionary steamer Glad Tidings, and the fear is generally expressed that she has been carried out to sea disabled. At the opening of the Methodist conference yesterday morning the following communication was read by the president, Rev. Solomon Cleaver, and the special search committee was instructed to wait upon Superintendent Vowell immediately with the object of having steps taken by the government, if possible, to dispatch another steamer to make diligent search in the neighborhood of Queen Charlotte sound:

INDIAN OFFICE,
Victoria, May 11, 1895.

Rev. S. Cleaver:

SIR:—I have the honor to inform you that I have just received a telegram from the Hon. T. Mayne Daly, superintendent-general of Indian affairs, Ottawa, asking me to place the Indian department steamer Vigilant at your disposal to proceed in search of the Methodist missionary steamer Glad Tidings. I may state that the steamer Vigilant is at present on the stocks undergoing extensive repairs and will not be fit for service for about two weeks. I have notified Hon. Mr. Daly to this effect.

A. W. VOWELL,
Indian Superintendent.

No further word being received from Ottawa in the early afternoon, probably owing to the fact that all the departmental offices were closed, the conference decided on itself taking immediate action. At the opening of the Theological Union in the afternoon Rev. Mr. Raley's committee reported that Captain John Irving, general manager of the C.P.N. Co., had generously placed the steamer Maude at their disposal, the conference being asked simply to pay the wages of her crew during the time they were occupied in the search.

Rev. C. M. Tait said that he believed the Glad Tidings party to be by this time safely aboard the steamer Danube, which would pass over the same route they had taken; it was evident to him that the delay in the steamer's arrival was to be ascribed to her having fallen in with the missionary steamer. He therefore advised the conference to take no action until the mail steamer arrived, which could not now be long.

The dangers of delay presented themselves to the other members of the conference, however, and it was resolved to accept the offer of the Maude and send out the search party immediately, particularly as Capt. Roberts of the Maude had given it as his opinion that if the machinery of the Glad Tidings had broken down in Queen Charlotte sound, she must have been blown out to sea, from the direction the wind was blowing on the day she left Bella Bella. Rev. C. M. Tait, Mr. R. J. Walker, of Cape Mudge, and Rev. J. Calvert, of Salmon Arm, all of whom know the coast well, were appointed by the conference to accompany the Maude on her search. The steamer loaded coal and provisions as soon as this decision was reached and departed on her mission at 5 o'clock.

The Hope, which arrived yesterday from the Northern logging camps, brought absolutely no news of the missing steamer, and the most careful inquiries in this city, Nanaimo, Union and Vancouver failed to develop any information. The situation is beginning to look very grave and the more hopeful view taken is that she has put in for shelter somewhere along the coast with broken machinery.

At the Oak Bay grounds yesterday the Union Gun club held their first shoot for the silver cup. The shooting was at known angles, and out of a possible 50 the greatest number of birds was broken by F. S. Maclure, who scored 43. There are three more shoots for the cup.

The Vancouver-Westminster Tramway company have offered a handsome silver cup for a five-mile bicycle race at Brockton Point on the 24th.

An Oregon judge has set a good example by discharging from custody a man who had been guilty of counterfeiting, but who had proved that a detective egged him on to commit the crime. The silly fellow pleaded guilty, but the judge dismissed the case and said that he would not allow the man to be tried under such circumstances. The decision is right. There are altogether too many detectives who persuade others to commit crimes in order that they may get the credit of the arrest and conviction of their dupes.—Bakersfield Californian.

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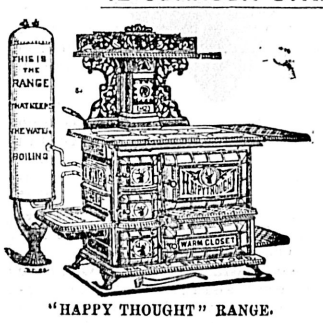

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